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## LAST SAD RITES OVER THE BODY OF EDWIN F. UHL

All that is mortal of Edwin F. Uhl, Ypsilanti's most distinguished son, was lowered to its last resting place in the Uhl lot, at Highland cemetery, Tuesday afternoon, at 2:40 o'clock, in the presence of many sorrowing friends from Grand Rapids, Detroit, Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti.

The banks and business places of the city were closed from 2 o'clock to 3:30, and many business and professional men were present at the cemetery to pay their last respects to a former fellow-citizen, whom all admired and respected.

The remains arrived from Grand Rapids in the private car of President Ledyard of the Michigan Central, at 11:25 a. m., and were conveyed to the Highland cemetery chapel, where they lay in state from 1 o'clock to 2:30. The casket was carried to the Uhl lot at 2:30, when the committal services were read by Rev. McCormack of St. Mark's church, Grand Rapids, and Rev. William Gardam of the Ypsilanti Episcopal church.

The pallbearers were: Prof. Wm. L. D'Ooge of Ann Arbor, Prof. F. H. Pease, R. W. Hemphill, F. K. Rexford, Frank Joslyn, O. E. Thompson.

Among those who were present from away were: Nathan Follett and Mrs. Benjamin Follett of Chicago, the brother and sister of Mrs. Uhl and the following from Grand Rapids: Judge Adsit, Dr. King, John Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bender, Dr. and Mrs. Hazeltine, T. J. O'Brien, P. M. Davis, Maj. McBride, Mr. Belden.

The profusion of flowers was noticeable, the casket while it rested in the chapel being covered and surrounded by beautiful set designs, while the edges of the grave were heaped high with masses of lilies and hothouse roses.

As the remains lay in state in the chapel those who had known and loved Mr. Uhl and those who had been

simply acquainted with his name as a successful man and an honest gentleman, took a last look at his countenance, which preserved its nobility of expression even in death.

Flags were at half-mast in the city; the high school, of which Mr. Uhl was an alumnus, was closed during the afternoon; the doors of the majority of the business places were locked for a portion of the afternoon, and there was a general air of sorrow among Ypsilanti citizens, as they realized that a noble life had been prematurely ended.

The family and the Grand Rapids friends left the city at 5:30 o'clock.

In Grand Rapids Monday many honors were shown the memory of the deceased statesman and diplomat.

For two hours a steady stream of workmen, professional men, city, county and federal office holders and people from every walk of life passed before the casket of St. Mark's to view for the last time the face of the late Hon. E. F. Uhl. They were all his friends and they showed by the tribute they paid his memory that they appreciated well his worth. The services were in charge of the rector, Rev. John McCormick.

It was just noon when the body of the dead statesman was taken in charge by the bearers. Friends had sent their floral expressions of sympathy in such quantities that the chapel was quite transformed into one solid bed of beauty and the nave was filled with its fragrance. First came the delegation of members of the bar, headed by Judge Burlingame, and immediately following were the members of the common council, headed by Mayor Perry, with the city, county and federal officials following. In all the throng which followed were merchants, bankers, members of the bar and others who had known, respected and loved Mr. Uhl during his busy life.

## WAS WALKING ON THE TRACK

Frank Douglas, of Ontario,  
Killed Monday Morning

## EXPRESS TRAIN HIT HIM

Freight Train Made so Much  
Noise That He Did Not  
Hear the Express

A shocking accident occurred in the Mich. Central yards Monday morning just as the Grand Rapids express was pulling into the station from the west at 11:25. A gang of men were walking on the railroad bridge just above the yards on their way to dinner. In the space between the west and east-bound tracks two men were walking, Frank Douglas from Alvinston, Ont., and one Riley. A freight was just pulling out toward the west and the express was coming in on the east-bound track. Riley stepped across the east-bound track, but Douglas remained in the space between the two tracks. On account of the noise of the freight running west it is thought he did not hear the express. At any rate he stepped over near the east-bound track to get away from the freight and was struck by the express and instantly killed. The man's back was broken and one leg crushed to a pulp. The head was also badly bruised and covered with blood. The back of the right hand was also badly skinned and bruised. The engineer is said to have given the warning signal and to have put on the brakes when he saw the man was not going to get out of the way, but he could not stop the train.

## CAN'T RAISE CROPS IN CITY ALLEYS

At the council meeting on Monday night after Mayor Thompson announced his appointments, on recommendation of the police commissioners and on resolution offered by Ald. Stevens, the council by unanimous vote appointed P. W. Ross as constable for the term ending next May, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of James Arms.

The commissioners of public works recommended that the city purchase a new dynamo to permit of the extension of the street lighting system, upon which the commissioners were directed to make an estimate of its cost.

The council approved the following bonds:

City Clerk McLeod	\$ 5,000
City Treasurer Gallup	15,000
Marshal Warner	1,000
Deputy Ferguson	500
Deputy Ryan	500

The bridge committee recommended that an expert engineer be employed to inspect the various bridges in the city, and that inasmuch as the Cross st. bridge has settled considerably on one side it needs special attention, while they reported that they concur with the mayor's recommendation that a new single arch bridge be built over the mill race at the water works plant. The aldermen accepted the report and authorized the committee to engage an engineer.

The council turned over to the salaries committee a petition from the teamsters of the city asking that they be paid \$3.50 a day by the city instead of \$3 for a day's labor.

On resolution by Ald. Boyce the marshal was directed to inform the individuals who have ploughed up alleys in the south addition, that if at the end of ten days these alleys have not been restored to their former condition, the offending parties will be prosecuted.

The commissioner of public works were instructed to prepare plans and specifications for storm sewers on Congress st. from Adams st. to Ballard st. Huron st. south to Catherine st.; on Cross st. west from Huron to Normal sts.

On resolution of Ald. Van Fossen the mayor was authorized to appoint a committee of five citizens, one from each ward, to act as a committee to prevent cruelty to animals.

On resolution of Ald. Van Fossen the mayor was authorized to appoint a committee of five aldermen, who, with himself and the city attorney are to take the initiatory steps towards establishing a city park on the west bank of the river between the Congress and Cross st. bridges.

## A BURGLARY SUNDAY NIGHT

Burglars ransacked the residence of Eugene Strang, a farmer of the vicinity, while the family were at church Sunday evening, and made away with \$30, clothing, a gold ring and a D. Y. & A. A. mileage book.

Mr. Strang drove at once to Ypsilanti, and at 12 o'clock routed up ex-Constable P. W. Ross, but there was no clue to the identity of the thieves nor to the direction they had taken in their flight, so nothing was accomplished.

## ASSIST NATURE.

You have been told to "hitch your wagon to a star"—that Nature will assist you. That's all right. There are times, however, when you should assist Nature, and the spring is one of these times.

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## This image shows a blank, aged, cream-colored page, likely an endpaper or flyleaf of a book. The paper has a slightly textured appearance with some minor creases and discoloration, characteristic of old paper. The left edge of the page shows the binding of the book.



# AN ENGLISH WOMAN'S LOVE LETTERS.

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## LETTER LXXI.

I used to stand at the foot of the stairs a long time, when by myself, before daring to start up, and then it was always the right foot that went first. And a fearful feeling used to accompany me that I was going to meet the "evil chance" when I got to the corner. Sometimes when I felt it was there very badly I used at the last moment to shut my eyes and walk through it and feel, on the other side, like a pilgrim who had come through the waters of Jordan.

My eyes were always the timeliest things about me, and to shut my eyes tight against the dark was the only way I had of meeting the solitude of the first hour of bed when Nan-nan had left me, and before I could get to sleep.

I have an idea that one listens better with one's eyes shut and that this and other things are a remnant of our primitive existence when perhaps the fars of our arboreal ancestors kept a lookout while the rest of their senses slept. I think, also, that the instinct I found in myself and have since in other children to conceal a wound is a similar survival. At one time, I suppose, in the human herd the damaged were quickly put out of existence, and it was the self preservation instinct which gave me so keen a wish to get into hiding when one day I cut my finger badly—something more than a mere scratch, which I would have cried over and bandaged quite in the correct way. I remember I sat in a corner and pretended to be nursing a rag doll which I had knotted round my hand, till Nan-nan noticed, perhaps, that I looked white and found blood flowing into my lap. And I can recall still the overcoming comfort which fell upon me as I let resolution go and sobbed in her arms full of pity for myself and scolding the "naughty knife" that had done the deed. The rest of that day is lost to me.

Yet it is not only occasions of happiness and pain which impress themselves. When the mind takes a sudden stride in consciousness, that also fixes itself. I remember the agony of shyness which came on me when strange hands did my undressing for me once in Nan-nan's absence, the first time I had felt such a thing. And another day I remember, after contemplating the head of Judas in a pictorial puzzle for a long time, that I seized a brick and pounded him with it beyond recognition. These were the first vengeful beginnings of Christianity in me. All my history, Bible and English, came to me through picture books. I wept tenderly over the endangered eyes of Prince Arthur, yet I put out the eyes of many kings, princes and governors who incurred my displeasure, scratching them with pins till only a white blur remained on the paper.

Now, as I look back, all these atoms of memory are dust and ashes that I have walked through in order to get to present things. How I suffer! How I suffer! If you could have dreamed that a human body could contain so much suffering, I think you would have chosen a less dreadful way of showing me your will. You would have given me a reason why I have to suffer so.

Dearest, I am broken of every habit I ever had except my love of you. If you would come back to me, you could shape me into whatever you wished. I will be different in all but just one thing.

## LETTER LXXII.

Here in my pain, beloved, I remember keenly now the one or two occasions when as a small child I was consciously a cause of pain to others. What an irony of life that once of the two times when I remember to have been cruel it was to Arthur, with his small astonished baby face remaining a reproach to me ever after! I was hardly 5 then and, going up to the nursery from down stairs, had my supper cake in my hand, only a few mouthfuls left. He had been having his bath and was sitting up on Nan-nan's knee, being got into his bed-clothes, when, spying me with my cake, he piped to have a share of it. I dare say it would not have been good for him, but of that I thought nothing at all. The cruel impulse took me to make one mouthful of all that was left. He watched it go without crying, but his eyes opened at me in a strange way, wondering at this sudden lesson of the hardness of a human heart. "All gone!" was what he said, turning his head from me up to Nan-nan to see perhaps if she, too, had a like surprise for his wee intelligence. I think I have never forgiven myself for that, though Arthur has no memory of it left in him. The judging remembrance of it would, I believe, win forgiveness to him for any wrong he might now do me if that and not the contrary were his way with me, so unreasonably is my brain scarred where the thought of it still lies. God may forgive us our trespasses by marvelous slow ways, but we cannot always forgive them ourselves.

The other thing came out of a less personal greed and was years later. Arthur and I were collecting eggs, and in the left over one of the outhouses there was a swallows' nest too high up to be reached by any ladder we could

get up there. I was intent on getting the eggs and thought of no other thing that might chance, so I spread a soft fall below, and with a long pole I broke the floor of the nest. Then, with a sudden stir of horror, I saw soft things falling along with the clay, tiny and feathery. Two were killed by the breakage that fell with them, but one was quite alive and unhurt. I gathered up the remnants of the nest and set it, with the young one in it, by the loft window where the parent birds might see, making clumsy strivings of pity to quiet my conscience. The parent birds did see soon enough. They returned first up to the rafters, then darting round and round and crying; then to where their little one lay helpless and exposed, hung over it with a nibbling movement of their beaks for a moment, making my miserable heart bound up with hope; then away, away, shrieking into the July sunshine. Once they came back and shrieked at the horror of it all and fled away not to return.

I remained for hours and did whatever silly pity could dictate, but of course the young one died, and I—clear away all remains that nobody might see! And that I gave up egg collecting after that was no penance, but choice. Since then the poignancy of my regret when I think of it has never softened. The question which pride of life and love of make believe till then had not raised in me, "Am I a god to kill and to make alive?" was answered all at once by an emphatic "No" which I never afterward forgot. But the grief remained all the same, that life, to teach me that blunt truth, should have had to make sacrifice in the mote hung loaf of three frail lives on a clay altar and bring to nothing but pain and a last miserable dart away into the bright sunshine the spring work of two swift winged intelligences. Is man, we are told to think, not worth many sparrows? Oh, beloved, sometimes I doubt it and would in thought give my life that those swallows in their generations might live again.

Beloved, I am letting what I have tried to tell you of my childhood end in a sad way. For it is no use, no use. I have not a glimmer of hope left that your eyes will ever rest on what I have been at such deep trouble to write.

If I were being punished for these two childish things I did, I should see a love of justice in it all. But it is for loving you I am being punished, and not God himself shall make me let you go! Beloved, beloved, all my days are at your feet, and among them days when you held me to your heart. Good night—good night always now!

## LETTER LXXIII.

Dearest—I could never have made any appeal from you to anybody. All my appeal has been to you alone. I have wished to hear reason from no other lips than yours, and had you not really and deeply confided in me I believe I could have submitted almost with a light heart to what you thought best—though in no way and by no stretch of imagination can I see you coming to me for the last time and saying, as you only wrote, that it was best we should never see each other again.

You could not have said that with any sound of truth, and how can I look truer frozen into writing? I have kissed the words, because you wrote them—not believing them. It is a suspense of unbelief that you have left me in, oh, still dearest! Yet never was sad heart truer to the fountain of all its joy than mine to yours. You had only to see me to know that.

Some day, I dream, we shall come suddenly together, and you will see, before a word, before I have time to gather my mind back to the bodily comfort of your presence, a face filled with thoughts of you that have never left it and never been bitter—I believe never once bitter. For even when I think and convince myself that you have wronged yourself—and so me also—even then—oh, then most of all, my heart seems to break with tenderness, and my spirit grows more faithless than ever for the want of you! For if you have done right, wisely, then you have no longer any need of me, but if you have done wrong then you must need me. Oh, dear heart, let that need overwhelm you like a sea and bring you toward me on its strong tide! And come when you will I shall be waiting.

## LETTER LXXIV.

Dearest and Dearest—So long as you are still this to my heart I trust to have strength to write it, though it is but a ghost of old happiness that comes to me in the act. I have no hope now left in me, but I love you not less, only more, if that be possible, or is it the same love with just a weaker body to contain it all? I find that to have definitely laid off all hope gives me a certain relief, for now that I am so hopeless it becomes less hard not to misjudge you—not to say and think impatiently about you things which would explain why I had to die like this.

Dearest, nothing but love shall explain anything of you to me. When I think of your dear face, it is only love that can give it its meaning. If love would teach me the meaning of this

silence, I would accept all the rest and not ask for any joy in life besides, for if I had the meaning, however dark, it would be by love speaking to me again at last, and I should have your hand holding mine in the darkness forever.

Your face, beloved, I can remember so well that it would be enough if I had your hand—the meaning, just the meaning, why I have to sit blind.

## LETTER LXXV.

Dearest—There is always one possibility which I try to remember in all I write, even where there is no hope a thing remains possible—that your eye may some day come to rest upon what I leave here. And I would have nothing so dark as to make it seem that I were better dead than to have come to such a pass through loving you. If I felt that, dearest, I should not be writing my heart out to you as I do. When I cease doing that, I shall indeed have become dead and not want you any more, I suppose. How far I am from dying, then, now!

So be quite sure that if now, even now, for today of all days has seemed most dark—if now I were given my choice to have known you or not to have known you, beloved, a thousand times I would claim to keep what I have rather than have it taken away from me. I cannot forget that for a few months I was the happiest woman I ever knew, and that happiness is perhaps only by present conditions removed from me. If I have a soul, I believe good will come back to it, because I have done nothing to deserve this darkness unless by loving you, and if by loving you I am glad that the darkness came.

Any more thinking wearies me. Perhaps we have loved too much and have lost our way out of our poor five senses without having strength to take over the new world which is waiting beyond them. Well, I would rather, beloved, suffer through loving too much than through loving too little. It is a good fault as faults go, and it is my fault, beloved, so some day you may have to be tender to it.

## LETTER LXXVI.

Dearest—I feel constantly that we are together still. I cannot explain. When I am most miserable, even so that I feel a longing to fly out of reach of the dear household voices which say silly things to keep me cheerful, I feel that I have you in here waiting for me. Heart's heart, in my darkest it is you who speak to me!

As I write I have my cheek pressed against yours. None of it is true, not a word, not a day, that has separated us. I am yours. It is only the poor five senses part of us that spells absence. Some day, some day you will answer this letter, which has to stay locked in my desk. Some day, I mean, an answer will reach me. Without your reading this your answer will come. Is not your heart at this moment answering me?

Dearest, I trust you. I could not have dreamed you to myself, therefore you must be true, quite independently of me. You as I saw you once with open eyes remain so forever. You cannot make yourself, beloved, not to be what you are. You have called my soul to life if for no other reason than to bear witness of you, come what may. No length of silence can make a truth once sounded ever cease to be. Borne away out of our hearing it makes its way to the stars. Dispersed or removed, it cannot be lost. I, too, for truth's sake, may have to be dispersed out of my present self which shuts me from you. But I shall find you some day, you who made me, you who every day make me! A part of you cut off, I suffer pain because I am still part of you. If I had no part in you, I should suffer nothing. But I do, I do.

Dearest, I lay my heart down on yours and cry, and, having worn myself out with and ended, I kiss your lips and bless God that I have known you.

I have not said—I never could say it—"Let the day perish wherein love was born!" I forget nothing of you. You are clear to me, all but one thing, why we have become as we are now—one whole, parted and sent different ways. And yet so near! On my most sleepless nights my pillow is yours. I wet your face with my tears and cry, "Sleep well."

Tonight also, beloved, sleep well! Night and morning I make you my prayer.

## LETTER LXXVII.

My own one beloved, my dearest dear! Want me, please want me! I will keep alive for you. Say you wish me to live—not come to you, don't say that if you can't—but just wish me to live, and I will. Yes, I will do anything, even live, if you tell me to do it. I will be stronger than all the world or fate, if you have any wish about me at all. Wish well, dearest, and surely the knowledge will come to me. Wish big things of me, or little things. Wish me to sleep, and I will sleep better because of it. Wish anything of me—only not that I should love you better. I can't, dearest, I can't. Any more of that and love would go out of my body and leave it clay. If you would even wish that, I would be happy at finding a way to do your will below ground more perfectly than any I found on it. Wish, wish! Only wish something for me to do. Oh, I could rest if I had but your little finger to love. The tyranny of love is when it makes no bidding at all. That you have no want or wish left in you as regards me is my continual despair. My own, my beloved, my tormentor and comforter, my ever dearest dear, whom I love so much!

## LETTER LXXVIII.

Tonight, beloved, the burden of things is too much for me. Come to me somehow, dear ghost of all my happi-

ness, and take me in your arms. I ache and ache not to belong to you. I do; I must. It is only our senses that divide us, and mine are all famished servants waiting for their master. They have nothing to do but watch for you and pretend that they believe you will come. Oh, it is grievous!

Beloved, in the darkness do you feel my kisses? They go out of me in sharp stabs of pain. They must go somewhere for me to be delivered of them only with so much suffering. Oh, how this should make me hate you if that were possible! How instead I love you more and more and shall, dearest, and will till I die!

I will die, because in no other way can I express how much I love you. I am possessed by all the despairing words about lost happiness that the poets have written. They go through me like ghosts. I am haunted by them, but they are bloodless things. It seems when I listen to all the other desolate voices that have ever cried that I alone have blood in me. Nobody ever loved as I love since the world began.

There, dearest, take this, all this bitter wine of me poured out until I feel in myself only the dregs left, and still in them are the fire and the suffering.

No, but I will be better. It is better to have known you than not. Give me time, dearest, to get you to heart again. I cannot leave you like this, not with such words as these for "good night!"

Oh, dear face, dear unforgettable lost face, my soul strains up to look for you through the blind eyes that have been left to torment me because they can never behold you. Very often I have seen you looking grieved, shutting away some sorrow in yourself quietly, but never once angry or impatient at any of the small follies of men. Come, then, and look at me patiently now! I am your blind girl. I must cry out because I cannot see you. Only make me believe that you yet think of me as, when you so unbelievably separated us, you said you had always found me "the dearest and most true hearted woman a man could pray to meet." Beloved, if in your heart I am still that, separation does not matter. I can wait, I can wait.

I kiss your feet. Even tomorrow may bring the light. God bless you! I pray it more than ever, because to me tonight has been so very dark.

## LETTER LXXIX.

Dearest—I have not written to you for three weeks. At last I am better again. You seem to have been waiting for me here, always wondering when I would come back. I do come back, you see.

Dear heart, how are you? I kiss your feet. You are my one only happiness, my great one. Words are too poor to express what I feel about you. Picture me; I am too weak to write more, but I have written this and am so much better for it.

Reward me some day by reading what is here. I kiss, because of you, this paper which I am too tired to fill any more.

Love, nothing but love! Into every one of these dead words my heart has been beating, trying to lay down its life and reach to you.

## LETTER LXXX.

A secret, dearest, that will be no secret soon. Before I am done with 23 I shall have passed my age. Beloved, it hurts me more than I can say that the news of it should come to you from any one but me, for this, though I write it, is already a dead letter, lost like a predestined soul even in the pains that gave it birth. Yes; it does pain me, frightens me even, that I must die all by myself and feeling still so young. I thought I should look forward to it, but I do not. No, no; I would give much to put it off for a time until I could know what it will mean for me as regards you. Oh, if you only knew and cared what wild comfort I might have in the knowledge! It seems strange that if I were going away from the chance of a perfect life with you I should feel it with less pain than I feel this. The dust and the ashes of life are all that I have to let fall, and it is bitterness itself to part with them.

How we grow to love sorrow! Joy is never so much a possession. It goes over us, incloses us like air or sunlight, but sorrow goes into us and becomes part of our flesh and bone. So that I, holding up my hand to the sunshine, see sorrow red and transparent like stained glass between me and the light of day, sorrow that has become inseparable mine and is the very life I am wishing to keep!

Dearest, will the world be more bearable to you when I am out of it? It is selfish of me not to wish so, since I can satisfy you in this so soon. Every day I will try to make it my wish or wish that it may be so when the event comes, not a day before. Till then let it be more bearable that I am still alive. Grant me, dearest, that one little grace while I live!

One thing is strange, but I feel quite certain of it. When I heard that I carried death about in me, scarcely an arm's length away, I thought quickly to myself that it was not the solution of the mystery. Others might have thought that it was, that because I was to die so soon therefore I was not fit to be your wife. But I know it was not that. I know that whatever hopes death in me put an end to you would have married me and loved me patiently till I released you, as I am to so soon.

It is always this same wee that crops up. Nothing I can ever think can account for what has been decreed. That, too, is a secret. Mine comes to meet it. When it arrives, shall I know?

And not a word, not a word of this can reach you ever. Its uses are wronged out and drained dry to comfort me in my eternal solitude.

Good night. Very soon it will have to be goodbye.

## LETTER LXXXI.

Beloved—I woke last night and believed I had your arms round me and that all storms had gone over me forever. The peace of your love had inclosed me so tremendously that when I was fully awake I began to think that what I held was you, dead, and that our reconciliation had come at that great cost.

Something remains real of it all, even now under the full light of day, yet I know you are not dead. Only it leaves me with a hope that at the lesser cost of my own death, when it comes, happiness may break in and that whichever of us has been the most in poor and needy ignorance will know the truth at last—the truth which is an inseparable need for all hearts that love rightly.

Even now to me the thought of you is a peace passing all understanding. Beloved, beloved, beloved, all the greetings I ever gave you gather here and are hungry to belong to you by a better way than I have ever dreamed. I am yours till something more than death swallows me up.

## LETTER LXXXII.

Dearest—If you will believe any word of mine, you must not believe that I have died of a broken heart should science and the doctors bring about a fulfillment of their present prophecies concerning me.

I think my heart has held me up for a long time, not letting me know that I was ill. I did not notice. And now my body snaps on a stem that has grown too thin to hold up its weight. I am at the end of 22 years. They have been too many for me, and the last has seemed a useless waste of time. It is difficult not to believe that great happiness might have carried me over many more years and built up for me in the end a renewed youth. I asked that quite frankly, wishing to know, and was told not to think it.

So, dearest, whatever comes, whatever I may have written to fill up my worst loneliness, be sure, if you care to be, that though my life was wholly yours my death was my own and comes at its right natural time. Pity me, but invent no blame to yourself. My heart has sung of you even in the darkest days. In the face of everything—the blankness of everything, I mean—it has clung to an unreasonable belief that in spite of appearances all had some well in it, above all to a conviction that, perhaps without knowing it, you still love me. Believing that, it could not break, could not desert; any other part of me, but not that.

Beloved, I kiss your face, I kiss your lips and eyes. My mind melts into kisses when I think of you. However weak the rest of me grows, my love shall remain strong and certain. If I should look at you again, how in a moment you would fill up the past and the future and turn even my grief into gold! Even my senses then would forget that they had ever been starved. Dear "share of the world," you have been out of sight, but I have never let you go! Ah, if only the whole of me, the double doubting part of me as well, could only be so certain as to be able to give wings to this and let it fly to you! Wish for it, and I think the knowledge will come to me!

Good night! God brings you to me in my first dream, but the longing so keeps me awake that sometimes I am a whole night sleepless.

## LETTER LXXXIII.

I am frightened, dearest, I am frightened at death. Not only for fear it should take me altogether away from you instead of to you, but for other reasons besides, instincts which I thought gone, but am not rid of even yet. No healthy body or body with power of enjoyment in it wishes to die, I think, and no heart with any desire still living out of the past. We know nothing at all really. We only think we believe and hope we know. And how thin that sort of conviction gets when in our extremity we come face to face with the one immovable fact that of our own death waiting for us! That is what I have to go through. Yet even the fear is a relief. I come upon something that I can meet at last—a challenge to my courage, whether it is still to be found here in this body I have worn so weak with useless lamentations. If I had your hand or even a word from you, I think I should not be afraid, but perhaps I should. It is all one. Goodbye. I am beginning at last to feel a meaning in that word which I wrote at your bidding so long ago. Oh, beloved, from face to feet, goodbye. God be with you wherever you go and I do not!

## LETTER LXXXIV.

Dearest—I am to have news of you. Arthur came to me last night and told me that if I wished he would bring me word of you. He goes tomorrow. He put out the light that I might not see his face. I felt what was there.

You should know this of him: He has been the dearest possible of human beings to me since I lost you. I am almost not unblest when I have him to speak to. Yet we can say so little together. I guess all he means. An endless wish to give me comfort, and I stay selfish. The knowledge that he would stolidly die to serve me hardly touches me.

Oh, look kindly in his eyes if you see him. Mine will be looking at you out of his!

## LETTER LXXXV.

Good morning, beloved; there is sun shining. I wonder if Arthur is with you yet?

If faith could still remove mountains, surely I should have seen you long ago. But if I were to see you now, I should fear that it meant you were dead.

That the same world should hold you and me living and unseen by each other is a great mystery. Will love ever explain it?

# ECZEMA'S ITCH IS TORTURE.

Eczema is caused by an acid humor in the blood, coming in contact with the skin and producing great redness and inflammation; little pustular eruptions form and discharge a thin, sticky fluid, which dries and scales off; sometimes the skin is hard, dry and fissured. Eczema in any form is a tormenting, stubborn disease, and the itching and burning at times are almost unbearable; the acid burning humor seems to ooze out and set the skin on fire. Salves, washes nor other external applications do any real good, for as long as the poison remains in the blood it will keep the skin irritated.

## BAD FORM OF TETTER.

"For three years I had Tetters on my hands, which caused them to swell to twice their natural size. Part of the time the disease was in the form of running sores, very painful, and causing me much discomfort. Four doctors said the Tetters had progressed too far to be cured, and they could do nothing for me. I took only three bottles of S. S. S. and was completely cured. This was fifteen years ago, and I have never since seen any sign of my old trouble."—Mrs. L. B. JACKSON, 1414 McGee St., Kansas City, Mo.

S. S. S. neutralizes this acid poison, cools the blood and restores it to a healthy, natural state, and the rough, unhealthy skin becomes soft, smooth and clear.

**SSS** cures Tetters, Erysipelas, Psoriasis, Salt Rheum and all skin diseases due to a poisoned condition of the blood. Send for our book and write us about your case. Our physicians have made these diseases a life study, and can help you by their advice; we make no charge for this service. All correspondence is conducted in strictest confidence.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

I wish I could bid the sun stand still over your meeting with Arthur so that I might know. We were so like each other once. Time has worn it off, but he is like what I was. Will you remember me well enough to recognize me in him and to be a little pitiful to my weak longing for a word this one last time of all? Beloved, I press my lips to yours and pray—speak!

## LETTER LXXXVI.

Dearest—Today Arthur came and brought me your message. I have at my heart your "profoundly grateful remembrances." Somewhere else unanswered lies your prayer for God to bless me. To answer that, dearest, is not in his hands, but in yours. And the form of your message tells me it will not be—not for this body and spirit that have been bound together so long in truth to you.

I set down for you here—if you should ever, for love's sake, send and make claim for any message back from me—a profoundly grateful remembrance and so much more, so much more that has never failed.

Most dear, most beloved, you were to me and are. Now I can no longer hold together. But it is my body, not my love, that has failed.

THE END.

# KNOXENA STILL IS A WINNER

The following item from New York will be of interest to Ypsilantiens who keep posted on horses. Knoxena was formerly owned by R. G. Barnes of this city and was sold by him two years ago for \$1,000.

"The second annual parade of the Road Drivers' association, which was held on the speedway this afternoon, brought out a far greater display of prancing high-steppers and well-equipped and well-appointed rigs than did that event last year. The number of equipages in the line of parade is variously estimated at from 500 to 700. The blue ribbon was awarded to W. C. Floyd-Jones, driving Peppina and Knoxena, a spirited team."

In the spring the birds are singing As they build their summer home. Blades of grass and buds are springing. O'er the mead the cattle roam. In the spring your blood is freighted With the germs that cause disease, Humors, boils, are designated Signals warning you of these. In the spring that tired feeling Makes you every duty shrink. Makes you feel like begging, stealing, Rather than engage in work. But there's something known that will a

Man to health and vigor lead. You will find Hood's Sarsaparilla Just exactly what you need.

Subscribers who pay one dollar in advance to the Sentinel-Commercial will be given a map of Michigan and the world worth a dollar.

# Athlo-pho-ros Expels RHEUMATISM

Sold by Druggists. Booklet Sent Free. THE ATHLOPHOROS CO., New Haven, Conn.

Rheumatism means that there is something in the blood which ought not to be there. The disagreeable symptoms are not in the disease, but are the efforts of Nature to expel the intruder.

Athlo-pho-ros simply gives Nature a boost, and she finishes the job. Athlo-pho-ros in itself does not cure Rheumatism, it simply helps Nature. The fact that you have Rheumatism or Neuralgia in any form is proof that Nature needs help.

GREENSBURG, Pa., Jan. 23, 1900. I had been afflicted with rheumatism for years until two and one-half years ago I was recommended to try Athlo-pho-ros. I took four bottles and have not had rheumatism since. I want to write and tell you how much good it has done me.

MRS. THOMAS PATTERSON.



# EDWIN F. UHL.

Edwin F. Uhl was one of Washtenaw's most distinguished sons. He was born here, was reared and educated among the people of this county and spent some years of his professional life here and had a strong hold upon the affections of our people. His early life was not different from that of the thousands of other boys who are reared upon the farm. His parents were in circumstances to give him all needed aid in his ambition. He graduated from the Ypsilanti high school and from the state university. He had brains, ambition and willingness to work. Nature endowed him also with a strong physical constitution. He made the most of his ability and opportunities and rose to high station. He was an able lawyer. The student habit of his early life remained with him and led him to a thorough knowledge of the underlying principles of law and of the law itself. He was faithful to the interests of his clients and all had the most implicit confidence in his integrity. Michigan being a republican state, of course, he was prevented from holding high elective offices for he was a staunch believer in the principles of true democracy. But his acknowledged ability attracted the attention of the nation and he was called to serve as assistant secretary of state and for a time acted as head of the state department. He served with credit also as ambassador to Germany and did much while in Berlin to improve trade relations and create a better feeling between the two nations. In all relations he was popular, a man of large powers, honest, and one who created for himself a successful career. Michigan was justly proud of him. In his death Washtenaw and the state at large loses a most distinguished son.

Bloodshed and loss of life have resulted from the strike at Albany. This was what was to be expected. It would seem that the time has come when the public in granting franchises should insert therein provisions which will protect the people from such occurrences. The American people, everywhere, have given too much to corporations. Thus their creations in many instances have become their masters. No franchise granting special privileges should be given without requiring special duties. It is dangerous to permit these great corporate bodies to deal with the individual without any restraint. When street-car companies are given their special privileges they should be compelled to submit differences with their employees which interfere with the convenience and the rights of the public to arbitration. Such charters or franchises should contain provisions regulating labor contracts. The public has a right to make these demands whenever the rights of the people are involved. Then if these franchises, with such provisions, are not acceptable they may be let alone. Public ownership of such utilities is better anyway.

Enough has now developed relative to the killing of James S. Ayers, in a hotel in Washington, to indicate that it was due to an unlawful entanglement with a married woman by the name of Mrs. Lulu I. Bonine. Death to one or both parties is frequently the result of such relationships. Mrs. Bonine has made a confession in which she states she killed Ayers in defence of her honor. But it is a strange place for a wife and mother to be defending her honor in the sleeping apartment of a young man at two o'clock in the morning. She was there too by her confession of her own free will and accord. But whatever the facts may be in the matter, the results are awful to contemplate and one life has been blotted out and a home ruined, disgrace brought upon innocent children and the "woman in the case" is face to face with a trial in which her life is the stake.

The hermaphrodite ad valorem tax bill passed the senate and house yesterday and is up to the governor. The bill increasing the membership of the tax commission by two members was passed at the same time and both are satisfactory to the railroads and consequently are all right.

## RURAL HIGH SCHOOLS.

A bill has passed both house and senate, but the writer is not certain whether it has yet received the signature of the governor, which provides for the establishment of rural or township high schools in Michigan. The bill in substance provides that in townships not having an incorporated village or city within them may call a special election, upon a petition signed by at least a third of the taxpayers of the township, to vote on the proposition for the establishment of a rural high school. It provides that a township may be bonded to the amount of \$5,000 for the support of such a school and that the taxpayers shall determine the amount to be raised for buildings and grounds. A board of five trustees is provided for of which the township clerk and treasurer are to be ex-officio members. The other three members are elected for a term of three years, one being elected each year. They are to be elected at the township election the first Monday in April. It is also provided that there shall not be less than seven nor more than ten months of school in the rural high school in a year. The course of study is to be arranged by the trustees and have the approval of the superintendent of public instruction and the president of the Agricultural college and shall not include more than four years of work. Instruction may include manual training, domestic science, nature study and the elements of agriculture.

The measure is a long step in advance and is in response to the demand of the more populous townships that high school instruction shall be given at home in townships where village or city high schools are not accessible. The educators of the state have long favored such a high school and such a law will give the people who want a rural high school the opportunity to give their children a high school education without sending them away from home to schools for the advantages for which they will pay tuition. It places the matter with the people to have a high school or not as they may select.

Around few men in our country during the last generation have the storms of controversy raged with greater fierceness than about Gen. Fitz John Porter, who died at his home in Morristown, New Jersey, yesterday. He was dismissed from the army in disgrace for failing to obey his superior officer's orders at the second battle of Bull Run in 1862. After the heat of the conflict was passed he bent every energy to secure a vindication for himself. The silent soldier finally came to his support and wrote a magazine article in his defence. During the administration of President Cleveland he was finally restored to the army. He was eighty years old at the time of his death.

## Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

The Stitch Exchange met with Mrs. Chas. Foote on North Adams street last Wednesday.

The rummage sale continues on Thursdays. We wish to thank those who have so generously donated for it lately. We will sell off all the wool goods cheap.

The class in physical culture meets Friday night at 7:15.

Sewing school for children will be held on Saturday at 2:30.

The class in scientific sewing is to meet on Saturday at 4 p. m.

The membership committee will meet at 7:30 Saturday evening.

The meeting next Sunday will be led by Miss Emma Parmater, president of the Normal Y. W. C. A.

We had an inspiring report of the Nashville convention last Sunday. It was given by one of the Detroit delegates, Miss Emma M. Burtch. We hope other associations, not able to send a delegate will be fortunate enough to secure her to report this last biennial convention.

If you are going away this summer and do not know what to do with your horse and buggy, let the secretary know and she can direct you to those who will be glad to care for them for their use.

The meeting of the board of directors for May will occur next week.

By June 1, the hour of meeting on Sunday will be changed back to 4:30, as usual in the summer time.

At our intelligence office several places for housework and an agency awaits the first callers after work.

## STOPS THE COUGH AND WORKS OFF THE COLD.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents.

Into each life some ruins must fall. Wise people don't sit down and bawl; Only fools suicide or take to flight. Smart people take Rocky Mountain Tea at night. Ask your druggist.

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# IN MEMORY OF EDWIN F. UHL

Washtenaw Circuit Court Paused This Morning

## ELOQUENT TRIBUTE PAID

By Judge Kinne, Hon. A. J. Sawyer, Judge Babbitt and Hon. John F. Lawrence

The Washtenaw circuit court paused Monday, and very appropriately, Judge Kinne called the attention of the bar to the death of Hon. Edwin F. Uhl, who was born and educated in this county, and whose first years in his profession were spent in Washtenaw. Eloquent eulogies were paid the deceased by Judge Kinne, Hon. A. J. Sawyer, Hon. E. P. Allen, Judge Babbitt and Hon. John F. Lawrence. The exercises were not at all prefatory but were sincere, honest and extemporaneous. All emphasized the fact that Edwin F. Uhl's word was as good as his signed stipulation and that he was a model practitioner.

Judge Kinne's tribute to the distinguished dead was as follows:

"Since the adjournment of this court on Friday afternoon, the sad intelligence has reached us of the death of the late Hon. Edwin F. Uhl of Grand Rapids. Mr. Uhl was admitted to this bar in 1864, and for nearly ten years was an active practitioner at the bar of this county; for four years he was our prosecuting attorney. He removed to Grand Rapids. During the administration of President Cleveland he was called to Washington as first assistant secretary of state, and later was sent as ambassador to the German Empire.

"I knew him first as an upper classman in the university, and in 1868 when I came to the bar at Ann Arbor I found him here in full practice.

"During his residence in the county it was my privilege to sustain with him very cordial if not intimate professional and social relations.

"This friendship has continued during the intervening years. I have marked his development and his brilliant career with great admiration, and in his death there comes to me the sense of a personal bereavement.

"To me it has seemed fitting that this court, out of respect and in recognition of the loss which the bar of this state has sustained in the death of Mr. Uhl, should, for a short time at least, pause in the midst of its pressing labors.

"His public career was honorable and distinguished, but it is as the lawyer, as a member of the legal profession, that our interest and our warmest admiration is most deeply challenged. From first to last, Mr. Uhl travelled in the clean and higher walks of the profession. While he expected compensation for his labors, there were higher inspirations which sustained and controlled his achievements. Truth, honor, loyalty to client, and the welfare of humanity were guiding stars in the voyage of his professional life. He firmly believed in the dignity and the nobility of his profession and her established ethics were, to him, sacred law. Falsehood, treachery or duplicity, either with client or counsel or court, were put to shame by his presence. It is not given to every lawyer to attain equal success, but the same avenues of truth, integrity and honor are open to every member of the bar.

"Mr. Uhl has passed away in the prime of his life, bequeathing to the members of his chosen profession the legacy of a trained and exalted manhood and a distinguished and unsullied professional career. His life may well be an inspiration to the bar of this county.

"It was here, on this spot, that he laid so deeply and so happily, the foundations of his professional eminence.

"In those last sad hours of his life, I fancy that a longing for the early love of his happy boyhood must have returned. I am glad to know that his ashes are to repose in the soil of this county, among the people who will ever honor his memory."

## ANOTHER RECITAL GIVEN TUESDAY EVE

The second of the Conservatory graduating recitals was given in Normal hall Tuesday by Miss Nelly Miller of Stockbridge, pianist, assisted by Miss Pauline Van Every of Grand Rapids, soprano, and Miss Abba Owen, violinist; Miss Ruth Putnam, Prof. F. H. Pease and Mr. Arthur Bostick acting as accompanists.

The program was well chosen and excellently rendered and was as follows:

Sonata, op. 78..... Beethoven  
Allegro assai.  
The Gypsy Maiden, 1..... Parker  
Nocturne, op. 62, No. 2..... Chopin  
Mlle. A. major..... MacDowell  
Arabesque, op. 39..... MacDowell  
When Celia Sings (after old English model)..... Schumann  
Sonata, op. 105 (piano and violin).....  
..... Schumann  
Allegretto, Mit leidenschaftlichem Ausdruck.  
Spring Song..... Forster  
Irish Love Song..... Lang  
The Lass With the Delicate Air.....  
..... Arne  
Concert, Stueck, op. 79..... Weber

## LUCKY PEOPLE AT ST. JOHN'S FAIR

Carriage, ticket No. 814: set Cooper, Belle Lawton; secretary, Jos. Livernois; gown, Nora Murphy; knives and forks, Geo. Ellsworth; ton of coal, Fr. Kelly; pair of shoes, Atwood McAndrew; Fanny Miniss, Harry Hunt, S. Hutchinson, Mary Smalley, Fr. Kelly, Fr. Van Pamelis; picture, Mrs. McDermott, dress skirt, Marie D'Unge, men's suit pattern, G. L. Wood, Ann Arbor; mileage book D. Y. A. A. & J. Mrs. Mittie King; large lamp, Kate Miniss; picture, Fr. Kennedy, Maud Scott, Toledo; fine sofa pillow, Mrs. E. D. Richmond; 50 lbs. can lard, Ed Carroll, Detroit; two men's union suits, Mrs. John Carroll; fine sofa pillow, May Carroll, Northfield; sofa pillow, M. F. Reynolds; bed spread, Susie Davis; Fr. Kelly's picture, John Dorenburg; daylie, O. W. Seymour; hat (Miss Bacon's), Geo. W. Smith; sofa pillow, John Smith; sofa pillow, P. Morgan; large box candy, Wm. Stread; meerschaum pipe, E. B. Dolson; two silk Union suits, Chas. Seckinger; sofa pillow, Jno. F. McCann; dress pattern, Mamie Lederer; Encyclopedia Brit., Nora Murphy; chafing dish, G. R. Johnson; portrait Fr. Kennedy, Bert Slayton; hat (Mrs. Curtis), John Hogan; bench wringer, Mrs. D. Murphy; portrait Fr. Goldrick, Mrs. D. O'Brien, Willis; fancy vase, M. Louise Lawler; season's ice, H. L. Stumpelhausen; clock, fancy, Margaret Smith; quilt, Fred Hixson; large rocker, Jas. Livernois; gas range, Mrs. W. P. Blair; barrel of flour, Chas. F. Krzysske; silver tea set, M. H. Smith; portrait Fr. Kennedy, P. H. Martin.

## THINKS HER STORY IS ALL NONSENSE

The remains of J. S. Ayres, the former Cleary College student who was killed at Washington, D. C., by a Mrs. Bonine, who claims to have committed the crime in self-defense, were brought to Detroit Tuesday, and from there taken to Port Austin, the murdered man's home.

The father, who had charge of the body, is a white-haired, venerable old gentleman, and seems badly cut up about the fate of his son. When he was down in Washington he did a considerable amount of detective work himself, and it is said that it was due to his researches that to those of the detectives that Mrs. Bonine saw fit to confess that she was the murderer.

"The boy was as steady as a rock," said Mr. Ayers, "and when that woman said he had come to the hotel drunk I knew it was not true, so I traced it up. I found that he had been in a hotel with some friends that night and had taken two small glasses of beer, and two cigars, and when they asked him to take another drink he refused, saying that he seldom took more than one. I inquired among his friends and associates and found that he had been very steady and had never been away from his work for a minute.

"The story she tells about having taken the revolver out of his hand is all nonsense. He was an all-around athlete, a fine runner, wrestler and boxer, and it is likely she could disarm him? She is a French woman and old enough to be his mother. Why, she has a boy of 15."

PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION. Buffalo, May 1st to October 31st. The Michigan Central will sell tickets to Buffalo and return on Tuesdays during May, good returning up to midnight of Saturday following date of sale, at a rate of \$8.90 for the round trip. B. M. DAMON, Agent.

## Bad Blood Breeds Humors

Boils, Pimples, Eruptions, Sores, Debility, Languor, Kidney Troubles, Indigestion and That Tired Feeling, All of which Hood's Sarsaparilla cures, by purifying, enriching and vitalizing the blood.

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They need the same radical treatment, too.

They should be rooted out in Spring.

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"My son had pimples on his face, which after a while became a mass of sores.

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"They finally healed without leaving a scar." Mrs. L. THEIST, 7 Willow Avenue, Hoboken, N. J.



## PART AND PARCEL.

DAINTY box, an exquisite wrapper, a delicate color, and a clinging fragrance—yet all these will not cleanse the skin! Has it ever occurred to you that you pay big prices for these things? Do you care to buy five articles or do you require only one—a strictly pure soap. Remember you pay for perfume whenever you buy it mixed with soap. Don't you think it is wiser to make your own selection of perfume and buy it separately? It is certainly the method adopted by most persons of cultivated taste, those who bathe with pure Ivory Soap. IVORY SOAP—99 1/2 PER CENT. PURE.

## THORNE SCHOOL DISTRICT.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church of Stony Creek met with Mrs. Cary Davis of this district and about 100 were present. A very enjoyable time was spent.

Mr. and Mrs. John Uhl, of this district, are at Grand Rapids attending the funeral of his brother, Edwin F. Uhl.

Mrs. Spencer Davis of Stony Creek spent a couple of days with her son, Cary Davis, of this district.

Mrs. William Elliott of this district returned home from Seio Monday, also her little baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis of Detroit spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wilson.

Orin Seaver, who is attending the high school in Ann Arbor, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Seaver of this district.

## STONY CREEK.

Rev. Mr. Marsh was called to Carleton to perform a marriage ceremony last Wednesday.

The election of Epworth league officers resulted as follows: President, Frank Grainger; 1st vice president, Mrs. Ada Sanderson; 2d vice president, Mrs. Anna Young; 4th vice president, Miss Minnie Avery; secretary, Walter Seigle; treasurer, Willie Baxter; organist, Miss Nellie Avery.

Children's day will be observed in the Presbyterian church June 9, and in the Methodist church June 16.

Misses Alice Begole of Ypsilanti and Althea Darling visited the latter's parents Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. Harry Marsh and family were the guests of Rev. Harvey Pearce of Carleton the first of the week.

About 100 guests were present at the Aid society held at Carey Davis' last week. There was some lively bidding for the privilege of entertaining the society in June, which was finally accorded to Mrs. Carry Merritt. The meeting will occur June 13.

The Grange will have a Memorial day program at their next regular meeting which will occur May 28 in the afternoon.

A sneak thief stole a robe and whip from Henry Champion's carriage Sunday evening during the service at the M. E. church, also a whip from Rob Howling.

## MILAN.

The gentle rains since Sunday have started vegetation finely in Milan and vicinity.

Secretary Ewald of the Ann Arbor Y. M. C. A. spent Sunday with Rev. Mr. Dagbistan with the view of organizing a Y. M. C. A. in Milan, which will be done in the near future.

Allen Alderman talks of spending a few months out of town this summer in search of health.

Mrs. G. W. Barnes and Susie Knight spent Monday in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Danskin of West Bay City spent Sunday with her husband, Rev. Mr. Danskin, pastor of the Presbyterian church. Mrs. Danskin and family will move to Milan some time in June, after the Bay City schools close.

Mrs. C. M. Fuller and daughters have returned to their home in Ann Arbor after a few weeks' pleasant visit with her parents, Atty. and Mrs. G. R. Williams.

The L. O. T. M. entertainment at the opera house Monday evening was a success.

A. W. Lewis, who lives east of Milan, lost a tenement house by fire Wednesday. Insured for \$50.

Strawberries in Milan, price 15 cents per quart.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Lelia Kelly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Kelly, to W. R. Seavey of Port Wayne, Ind., on May 29.

Work on the new hotel is suspended for a few days on account of a lack in the supply of brick.

Milton Crane will lead the young people's union prayer meeting at the M. E. church Wednesday evening.

B. Palmer has returned from his Detroit sojourn.

Dr. A. G. Mesic is entertaining his brothers and giving them treatment at his home on East Main street.

There are several new cases of scarlet fever. Among the sick are A. Jennings, L. Davenport, R. Allen and the little son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Van-Wormer.

## SACRED CONCERT SUNDAY EVENING

A sacred concert will be held at the First Baptist church Sunday evening, May 26. The following is the program: Organ prelude, "Adoration of the Angels," (Dubois), Miss Beardsley; quartet, "Crossing the Bar," (Nevin), Miss Riblet, Mrs. Grey, Messrs. Bostick and Stitt; solo, "O Divine Redeemer," (Gounod), Miss Smith, violin obligato by Miss Owen; solo, "Prayer," (Egger), A. C. Stitt; male quartet, "Gently Lead Us," (Hawley), Messrs. Bostick, Rogers, Ellis and Stitt; solo, "The Light of the World," (Adams), Miss Riblet; solo, "Abide with Me," (Hoffman), Miss Bird; solo, "A Dream of Paradise," (Grieg), Fred G. Ellis, violin, Miss Owen, cello, Mr. Samson; anthem, "The Lord is Exalted," (West), chorus; organ postlude, "Alleluia in C Major," (Mendelssohn), Miss Beardsley.

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## CITY TEAM 14 HIGH SCHOOLS 7

The city team and the high school lads about evened up in errors, general fielding and the ability to hit the ball, in their game on the Fair Grounds Saturday afternoon, but the city men were fortunate in making safe hits at opportune moments, consequently the score was 14 to 7 in their favor.

The game was none too scientific, but the crowd were not critical, and apparently managed to extract considerable enjoyment from the occasion.

Clifford, the city team's pitcher, was on the absent list, and the box was occupied by Pennington, who made a good showing.

Davis pitched eight innings for the high school, and in the ninth was succeeded by Brackets, who held the city players down to a single score.

Furlong was conspicuous for the city team for excellent work on second base, and Whitmore, the high school catcher, caught the eye of the fans by his facility at throwing to second.

The city team lined up as follows: Pitcher, Pennington; catcher, Coile; short stop, Hamman; first base, Pierce; second base, Furlong; third base, Stoll; left field, Monroe; center, H. Ostrander; right, F. Ostrander.

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# DETROIT, YPSILANTI, ANN ARBOR & JACKSON RAILWAY TIME TABLE.

In Effect April 16th, 1901.

The first cars will leave Ypsilanti going east and west at 6:15 a. m. The first car leaves Ann Arbor going east at 6:45 a. m. Cars will run every half hour until 8:30 p. m., after that every hour; the last car leaving Ann Arbor going east at 11:15 p. m., and the last car west leaving Detroit at 11:15 p. m. In addition to this a local car will leave Ann Arbor for Ypsilanti at 12:15 a. m. and another at 1:15 a. m.

Time Table—In Effect Jan. 2, 1901.

Leave Ypsilanti.	Leave Saline.
6:45 a. m.	7:30 a. m.
8:45	9:45
10:45	11:45
12:45 p. m.	1:45 p. m.
2:45	3:45
4:45	5:45
6:45	7:30
8:45	9:45
10:45	11:45

A special car will be run from Ypsilanti at 12:45 a. m. on the arrival of the Opera car from Detroit, for special parties of ten or more, on short notice and without extra charge.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

John Estabrook of Saginaw is visiting in the city.

Mrs. S. A. Peck of Albion is the guest of Mrs. W. T. Bacon.

Will McLeod entered upon his duties as city clerk Tuesday.

The Light Guards will attend the Methodist church in a body Sunday.

C. A. Schmid of Detroit, a former Ypsilanti, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. C. T. McFarlane has returned from a visit with friends in the east.

Rev. Beach of Ashland, Wis., preached at the Congregational church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Harris of Detroit spent Sunday with Ypsilanti friends.

W. C. Hayden has taken a position in the composing room of the Stockbridge Sun.

The city team will play a picked nine of local men on the fair grounds Saturday afternoon.

The high school alumni banquet will be served this year by the ladies of the Presbyterian church.

W. H. Webster, formerly of this city, has opened an office as architect in Oklahoma City, O. T.

Capt. E. P. Allen was in Lansing yesterday on business connected with the Agricultural college.

Henry E. DeGarmo of Highland was in the city Tuesday to attend the funeral of Edwin F. Uhl.

Ransom George has been elected a member of the board of directors of the Detroit Naval Reserves.

Ed. Rogers won the \$12 suit of clothes donated by the Sullivan, Cook Co. to the St. John's church fair.

Prof. C. O. Hoyt and family will sail for Rotterdam July 20, and will settle in Jena, Aug. 13, for a year's stay.

H. B. Lee has left for Livingston to attend the birthday celebration of his brother, F. J. Lee, who is 80 years old.

The D. Y. & A. A. is doing a large amount of light freight business these days. The amount is rapidly increasing.

Henry Kipp of Milford, a cousin and boyhood chum of the late Edwin F. Uhl, was in the city to attend the funeral.

The Sigma Nu Phi sorority of the Normal will hold their annual reception at the gymnasium Friday evening, May 31.

The Normals and the high school baseball team will have a practice game on the Normal grounds this afternoon.

The Friday Whist club will hold an at-home at the residence of Miss Helen Post, Friday evening. Twelve tables will be in play.

Twenty-eight horses are quartered on the fair grounds, and every day when the weather permits they are exercised on the track.

The Daughters of the American Revolution will meet Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Mary Jenks, 313 Forest avenue.

Mrs. Della E. Knapp, widow of the late Dr. R. E. Knapp, died at Port Huron on Saturday. The family moved from here seven or eight years ago.

Charles Church, of C. W. Rogers & Co., has left for Big Rapids to take a three months' course in the pharmacy department of the Ferris Institute.

It is expected that the council will order helmets and clubs for the police force and decide upon a different style of suit from what they have hitherto worn.

The Ypsilanti High school was closed Tuesday afternoon as a mark of respect to the late Edwin F. Uhl. Mr. Uhl was a graduate of the high school, class of 1885.

The high school geology class under the direction of Prof. DeForest Ross, are making a study of the Huron river tenares, as shown by the hills which surround the city.

The street commissioner is kept busy at this time preventing the colored inhabitants of the south addition from plowing up and planting the city alleys in their district.

John Lampher was arrested Thursday charged with being drunk. He was brought before Justice Childs Friday morning, who gave him five days in the county jail.

Supt. Dean of Pontiac has engaged the following teachers from the Normal graduating class. Misses Elsie Maxam, Bessie Goodrich, Grace Hammond and Mary Benson.

The next of the Conservatory graduating recitals will be given in Normal hall Tuesday evening, May 28, by Miss Laura Walters, mezzo soprano, assisted by Minor E. White, pianist.

The Normal baseball team won from M. A. C. at Lansing Saturday afternoon by 10 to 8, in a hard-fought game. This is the Normal's fourth consecutive victory in the intercollegiate series.

Enoch Thorne of the Cleary Business college has been elected to the position of teacher of commercial branches in the Port Huron high school. He has the qualifications for a good teacher.

Samson chapter, O. E. S., of Detroit, have invited Ypsilanti chapter to visit them Thursday evening, May 23. Special car leaves D. Y. & A. A. station at 6:15 p. m., just before the regular car.

There is to be a golf tournament at Battle Creek, Thursday, May 30, and teams have been invited from Ypsilanti, Ann Arbor, Jackson, Lansing, Albion and Kalamazoo to join in the contest.

The city clerk's private office, which is used by the board of public works, has been draped with mourning in remembrance of the late M. B. Schaeffer, a member of the board of public works, and ex-alderman.

Mesdames O. A. Ainsworth, Arthur Sullivan, W. J. Wallace and, Mary Jenks and Misses Mary Putnam and Eunice Lambie attended the state meeting of the Daughters of the Revolution at Detroit last week.

Wm. Taylor was before Justice Childs Tuesday morning charged with having committed an assault and battery on John Perry. Both are colored. Taylor pleaded not guilty and had his hearing set for today.

The Women's Relief Corps are requested to meet at G. A. R. hall, Sunday morning at 10 o'clock sharp, to accompany the post to the M. E. church. All soldiers' wives not members of the order are invited to accompany them.

Among the Normalities who have recently secured good positions for the coming year, are C. E. Van Deventer, who has been engaged as principal of the Ithaca high school, and Percy McWhinney, who will be principal at Hesperia.

The inquest over the remains of Frank Douglas, who was killed by the 11:25 east-bound Michigan Central Monday, has been postponed to Friday morning at 10 o'clock, when it will be held by Coroner Watts at Justice Joslyn's office.

The Ypsilanti whist team, which won the State Association trophy cup at Grand Rapids, and then defeated the challenging Detroit four, have been challenged by the Lansing team. The game will be played on Decoration Day or on June 8.

Marshall Dolan died at his home on Babbitt street Friday night from some brain trouble. He was a laborer and came here from Chelsea about a week ago. He had no family. The funeral was held Monday forenoon from St. John's Catholic church.

The Episcopal Parish Aid society are planning a "baby party" to be given the first week in June. Prizes will be given to the prettiest girl baby, the prettiest boy, and the baby with the prettiest eyes, all babies between the ages of one month and two year being eligible.

Miss Edith Earl, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl of Traverse City, formerly well known in Ypsilanti circles, died recently of droupsy. Miss Earl graduated from the Normal last June, and when taken ill a few months ago was teaching in the Traverse City schools.

Adrian College won from the Cleary team Saturday at Adrian by 8 to 5, by timely hitting, aided by a wild throw of the Cleary second baseman. Ypsilanti held the lead until the seventh inning, when two singles, a two-bagger and the second baseman's error let in three runs for Adrian.

The Barbara Kellar case was on call yesterday morning in circuit court, but it will probably not be heard before next Monday on account of other cases which are ahead of it. This is a case for damages in the sum of \$2,000 against the city because of a fall upon an alleged bad sidewalk.

The members of the Light Guard and other boys who were in the 31st Michigan during the Spanish war went to Ann Arbor Friday to attend the reunion of the regiment. Several hundred men who belonged to the regiment from Detroit went through Ypsilanti at 10:45 for Ann Arbor also.

The Normal team will play their strongest rival in this series of the intercollegiate league, which is Kalamazoo, on the home grounds Saturday afternoon. The prospects are at present that the pedagogues will be in the finals at the Field Day meet, with Albion their most formidable opponent.

Frank White was arrested Friday on a charge of assault and battery alleged to have been committed on Thursday night. He was charged with throwing a stone at Tom Norris, which struck Tom's head with great force, making a severe bruise. He said "not guilty" and had his hearing set for today.

"Kid" Walker's proteges, the Detroit university school athletes, won second place at the interscholastic meet in Detroit, Saturday, securing 40 points while the Detroit Central high school won 57 points. The University school's showing is creditable, in view of the fact that it had only 12 entries, while the Central school had 40 entries.

Prof. F. H. Pease has just made a contract with J. A. Augustine, the builder, for the erection of a residence on his two lots just south of where he now resides—35 South Summit street. The dwelling will be complete in all its appointments and provided with all modern conveniences. It will cost not far from \$4,000.

A warrant was issued Friday at the instance of Tom Norris for the arrest of Frank White. Norris alleges that Thursday about 10:30 p. m., near the First ward school, White threw a stone at him, Norris, striking him on the head and inflicting a bad wound. Tom exhibited the spot, and he certainly had received an ugly hit all right.

Hiram W. Miller, former teacher of reading and orthoepy at the Normal college, but now principal of the Williams school in Detroit, has been recommended by the teachers committee of the Detroit board of education for the principalship of the Duffield school in place of W. A. Ellis, the present principal. Principal Ellis is a graduate of the Normal.

Edward Archer, who is serving a sentence at Jackson for the alleged murder of Valmore C. Nichols of Ypsilanti, has been granted a new trial on the grounds that the previous trial was marked by many errors, chief among which being the fact that testimony was admitted on a previous murder case in which he was involved, and in which he was discharged.

The First Presbyterian church, corner Washington and Emmet, Robert K. Wharton, Minister. Morning worship next Sunday at 10:30 with sermon; evening worship at 7:30 with sermon; Sunday school 12 m.; Young People's meeting 6:30 in the evening. The people's service, Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. If not going elsewhere you are cordially invited to these services.

The Halycon Dancing club, which gave ten delightful parties in Light Guard hall during the winter and spring, held a business meeting recently, at which the treasurer reported a balance of \$18, after the year's expenses were paid. The club will be continued next winter, and the balance will be allowed to remain in the treasury, so that it may apply on future expenses.

Mrs. Kate Schaffer and Willie H. Schaffer wish to express their heartfelt thanks to the clergymen and choir, the city council, the G. A. R. and Auxiliary, and all who assisted in the funeral services of Milo B. Schaffer. The beautiful flowers, the appropriate services, the sweet music, the many expressions of tender sympathy, and especially the kind ministrations of friends and neighbors can never be forgotten.

Under the stimulation of Prof. Hoyt, students in the State Normal college are doing commendable work in the sociological study of Ypsilanti. A fine article appeared in the April number of the Normal News, in which one of the class gives a very interesting sketch of the history of Ypsi. Prof. Hoyt will do well if he incites teachers in all our schools to go about similar work in their neighborhoods.—Moderator.

On May 27 there are to be initiations on a large scale in the order of Maccabees at Ann Arbor. All the tents of the county will send candidates for initiation. A prize will be given for the largest percentage of increase in membership. This will give the small tents an equal chance with the large ones. Ypsilanti Maccabees are making a strong effort to win that prize, consequently the Maccabee order here is booming just now.

Saturday's game between the Normal and M. A. C. at Lansing was exciting from start to finish, and was not won until the ninth inning, when Gannon tied the score by a home run with no men on bases, which so encouraged the Normalities that they ran in two scores before the inning was ended, and then held the Farmers down to a goose egg for the second half of the inning. The teachers batted well, making 11 hits, of which Gannon made a home run, Gass a three-bagger and King a two-base hit.

The Normals played a six-inning practice game with the city team yesterday afternoon on the Normal grounds, the resulting score being 6 to 5 in favor of the pedagogues. Smith was put in the box for the Normalites, and he pitched a good game, much better than his rival, Foster Ostrander, who forced in two scores. The teachers are in fine condition, and get into the game with spirit, so they should make a good showing against Kalamazoo Saturday. The city team promises to develop into a strong aggregation.

### IT SAVED HIS LEG.

P. A. Danforth, of LaGrange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg; but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For Ulcers, Wounds, Piles, it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. Sold by C. W. Rogers & Co., and Morford & Smith.

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MRS. HENRIETTA MOFLE COULD NOT SURVIVE

Her Son, Suffering With an Amputated Leg, Did His Best to Save Her

Mrs. Henrietta Maegle of 807 East Congress street, met with a terrible accident at 1 o'clock Saturday. Her clothing took fire from a gasoline stove in some way and she died about 8 o'clock that evening. Her burns were simply awful. Her clothing was entirely burned off. She caught fire by the wind blowing her clothing against the flame of a gasoline stove and not through an explosion as was at first supposed. The only other person in the house at the time was a son who had his foot cut off some time ago and was in bed. The poor woman ran into the room where he was lying and in some way he got out of bed and succeeded in reaching his mother and smothering the flames with a rug. She was too seriously burned, however, to survive. All that could be was done to lessen her sufferings with opiates. The funeral was held Monday afternoon.

## THOMPSON MAKES

### HIS APPOINTMENTS

Mayor Thompson announced the following appointments at the council meeting Monday evening.

Members of board of public works to succeed W. B. Schaffer, deceased, J. L. Foerster.

Library committee—Alds. Van Fossen, Boyce, Stevens, Worden and Moore.

Salaries committee—Alds. Brown, Van Fossen and Ostrander.

Change in the order of the ways and means committee to the following: Alds. Gandy, Stevens and Moore.

Change in the order of the streets and walks committee to the following: Worden, Van Fossen and Burg.

## THEY DISCUSSED

### CHARTER AMENDMENT

The ordinance committee of the common council met at the council room yesterday afternoon from 5 o'clock to 6, and discussed the proposed city ordinance to regulate the laying of cement walks in accordance with the recent charter amendment. The extent of the excavation, the composition of the concrete, the amount of cement to be used, and many other technicalities were learnedly discussed by the mayor and aldermen, but the subject was too broad to be disposed of in so short a time, so it was decided to meet again this evening at the city clerk's office. City Attorney Green has prepared an ordinance, and as amended or approved by the committee it will be presented to the council for consideration at the next meeting.

Miss Helen Bovee, the hypnotist, is organizing a class in hypnotism and magnetic healing, which will meet three days a week, the other three being spent in Ann Arbor. The lessons will begin week after next. Any one wishing to join can enroll at her home, 601 Chicago avenue. Subjects for demonstrations will be furnished.

All persons interested in the paving on South Huron street are requested to meet the committee on streets and walks at the city clerk's office at 8 p. m., Monday, May 27, 1901, in regard to the material to be used and how they would prefer to have the work done.

By order of the Committee on Streets and Walks.  
W. E. McLEOD, City Clerk.

### SPECIAL EXCURSION TO DETROIT, SUNDAY, MAY 26.

The Michigan Central will run a special train to Detroit on above date, leaving Ypsilanti at 10:45 a. m. Returning leave Detroit at 6:30 p. m. Fare for the round trip on this train, 40 cents.

Children between five and twelve years, half above rate. Bicycles free. B. M. DAMON, Agent.

### EXCURSION TO PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION, WEDNESDAY, MAY 29.

The Michigan Central will sell tickets to Buffalo and return for tam No. 12, leaving Ypsilanti 11:25 a. m. on above date, and special train leaving Detroit 12:25 p. m., arriving at Buffalo, 6:55 p. m.

Tickets good returning on regular trains leaving Buffalo not later than 4:50 p. m. Friday, May 31st.

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## CLERK HAS NEARLY \$14,000 ON HAND

The city clerk's report for the year 1900 to 1901, which has just been published, shows a credit balance in the various city funds of \$13,990.55, which is greater than the balance on hand last year and two years ago, the figures in those cases being respectively \$12,482.48, and \$10,914.65.

Summary of all accounts for 1900 to 1901:

CREDIT.	
Water works fund.....	\$ 5,716 37
Contingent fund.....	1,523 48
Sewer fund.....	661 24
Street Light fund.....	892 41
Fire Department fund.....	865 68
Poor fund.....	73 45
Park fund.....	256 15
Bridge fund.....	521 21
Sinking fund.....	1,627 61
Sewer connection fund.....	149 64
First district highway fund.....	99 46
Second dis. highway fund.....	543 66
Third dis. highway fund.....	715 86
Fourth dis. highway fund.....	76
Fifth dis. highway fund.....	231 07
Total.....	\$13,878 05

DEBIT.	
Paving fund.....	\$ 22 28
First dis. sewer fund.....	43 46
Total.....	\$ 65 74

Total credit, \$178.24, outstanding orders included, \$13,990 55. The summary of the accounts for 1899 to 1900, as follows:

CREDIT.	
Water works fund.....	\$ 5,917 78
Contingent fund.....	866 55
Street light fund.....	714 05
Poor fund.....	225 81
Fire department fund.....	736 86
First dis. sewer fund.....	62 14
Sewer connection fund.....	2,030 70
Sinking fund.....	1,027 56
Bridge fund.....	193 76
First dis. highway fund.....	86 19
Second dis. highway fund.....	9 07
Third dis. highway fund.....	53 83
Fourth dis. highway fund.....	64 84
Park fund.....	161 02
Paving fund.....	324 25
Total.....	\$12,879 02

DEBIT.	
Fifth dis. highway fund.....	\$ 23 48
Outstanding int. coupons.....	373 66
Credit balance.....	\$12,482 48

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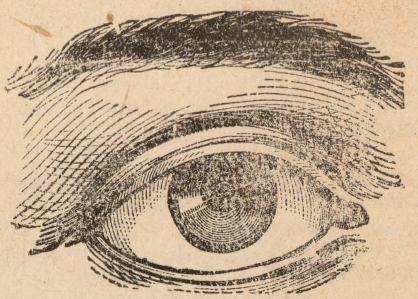
## G. A. R. PASSED RESOLUTIONS

Whereas, in the providence of God, it hath pleased him to remove from our midst our beloved brother and comrade, Milo B. Schaffer, therefore be it

Resolved, that in his death Corpen-ter Post has lost henceforth the services and sympathy of one of its most faithful and devoted members, and to his memory the Charter of the Post is ordered draped for 30 days;

Resolved, that these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the Post; that a copy be sent the family, and a copy be published in the city papers.

E. A. HOLBROOK,  
E. E. TRIM,  
May 20, 1901. Com.



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# BIG COLLEGE CONTEST FORMER CLEARY STUDENT MURDERED AT WASHINGTON

Records May Fall at Track and Field Championships.

## NEW MEN IN THE COMPETITIONS.

Uncertainty as to This Year's Winner—Albert Plaw of California an Able Shot Putter—Duffy of Georgetown to Run—A Comparison.

The annual intercollegiate athletic championship meet to be held May 24 and 25 on Berkeley oval, New York, will be one of the greatest of the series. An unusually large number of entries have been received by Secre-



ALBERT PLAW.

tary James E. Sullivan of the Amateur Athletic union, under the rules of which organization the contests will be run off, and everything points toward record breaking competitions.

The championship events will be particularly interesting this year because of the number of new men who have come to the fore in the collegiate arena. Dewitt of Princeton will probably win in the hammer throw, and Albert Plaw of the University of California, another newcomer, is in line to capture the shot put. Each of these men has done remarkably good work in the early spring try outs, and their ability is unquestioned.

The University of Pennsylvania will not have the easy time of former years in carrying away first honors. Kraenzlein, the famous hurdler and sprinter; McCracken, the hammer thrower and shot putter, and Alexander Grant, the long distance runner, have been declared ineligible for the games by the Quaker faculty.

This lends an air of uncertainty to the events in which these stars formerly figured so prominently.

From the present outlook Yale and Harvard seem to show up the stronger, although Princeton, Cornell and Pennsylvania are dangerous rivals. The latter will be especially strong if the redoubtable Tewksbury is in form and enters the competitions.

Arthur Duffy of Georgetown, the holder of the world's record for 100 yards, will be the choice of the knowing ones as winner of this event, especially after his showing in the recent relay carnival at Philadelphia, where he covered the distance in ten seconds flat without any apparent effort. He seems to have wholly recovered from his breakdown which put him out of the race in Paris last summer.

In the intercollegiate half mile Perry of Princeton will in all likelihood win the prize. Perry has few equals in this particular event. Gallagher, the captain of the cross country team of Cornell, is a man who will figure in the long runs. Gallagher has wonderful endurance and is almost sure to duplicate some of the exploits for which he has become famous.

## Famous Cricketer Re-enters Game.

The lovers of the game of cricket in this country will hail with delight the announcement that George Stuart Patterson, the wonderful player, will again take up the game. Mr. Patterson has begun practice on the grounds of the Germantown Cricket club of Pennsylvania. Mr. Patterson, until his retirement, was generally recognized as the greatest cricket player in America, being both an excellent bowler and an unequalled batsman.

## No Cheap Ball For Andy.

Andy Freedman says that New York will not play 25 cent ball in Philadelphia this year or any other year. This means that when New York goes to Philadelphia the Quakers will have to double the price of admission the same as they did last year. Brooklyn and New York both compelled the Philadelphians to raise prices.

## McGovern and Erne Compromise.

It has been learned that a compromise regarding the question of weights had been effected and that Terry McGovern and Frank Erne will meet at San Francisco on June 2. Erne is ready to meet McGovern at 133 pounds, weigh in at the ring side instead of at 7 o'clock, as at first proposed by the Buffalo pugilist.

James S. Ayers of Port Austin, Mich., a clerk in the agricultural division of the census office at Washington, who was found murdered in his room at the Ardman hotel, was formerly a student in the Cleary Business college. He was here at different times and left finally in the winter of 1900. He did not graduate, although he had nearly completed the course. The authorities of the college say he was a very bright, promising young man, full of life and animal spirits and the last person who would be suspected of any suicidal mania.

He was found at 8 o'clock Wednesday, May 15. Three shots had been fired, one bullet piercing the heart, another his left arm and the third entered at the hip. The body lay in front of an open window on the fifth floor of the hotel. Guests of the hotel say that during the night they heard what sounded like shots from a revolver, but made no inquiries, believing they were fired in the street. There is a decided mystery about his death and the evidence points to murder. Blood

stains were found on the fire escape in front of the hotel building, and a neighbor claims to have seen a woman descending the escape immediately after the shots had been heard. Screams of "help" were heard about 2 o'clock in the morning by one of the roomers, but it was not until 8 o'clock that any importance was attached to them and a policeman was summoned. The inquest has not yet been held. The most important witness is a neighbor, who says he was aroused by the shots and saw a woman in her night robe descending the fire escape, and that when she reached the veranda on the second floor she entered a room. The room indicated was found to be empty, but a person might easily have passed through it to some other part of the house. The police say it is improbable that the blood stains found on the landing of the fire escape could have dropped from the window of Ayers' room.

Ayers attended a dance last night at the hotel, took two or three drinks, but was not intoxicated and apparently had no quarrel with anyone.

## CHANCE TO GET A FACTORY HERE

W. H. Deubel informs the editor of an opportunity Ypsilantians have of bringing a new industry to the city, which will at least bear careful consideration.

The folding device works is a concern located in a Michigan town for the manufacture of a patent burial casket lowerer, and it is the sole property of a single capitalist who has about determined to organize a stock company to permit of an enlargement of the business. Mr. Deubel met the owner by chance some time ago, and after a friendly visit of inspection at his plant, suggested that it would be a wise move to put more capital into the business to permit of the concern manufacturing certain parts of the casket lowerer which it now has made at Detroit and other cities. The owner has finally yielded to Mr. Deubel's arguments, sufficiently to agree to remove to Ypsilanti, and enlarge the business, provided \$30,000 stock will be taken by Ypsilanti parties.

It is a fair business proposition, and Ypsilantians with money to invest may well take the time and make the effort necessary to look into the matter, and decide to their own satisfaction whether or not the venture would be a wise one.

The casket lowerer is a staple in the undertaking business which is coming more and more into demand, and the article turned out by the company is in many respects the best of its kind in the market.

The plant has been running for 18 months, during which time it has been constantly behind in its orders.

The present force simply make a few of the lighter parts and put the whole together, so there is an excellent opportunity for an enlargement of the business to permit the manufacture of the canopies, which are used as coverings over the device, of the heavy metal parts, of the wood work, and of the rubber grave covering which goes with the outfit.

The plant at present employs 25 men, but if the business is removed to this city this force will be doubled or tripled.

It may be well for Ypsilantians who are on the lookout for a good investment to see Mr. Deubel for particulars and also to examine the sample of the

company's product, which he has brought to the city.

## NO MISSING LINK.

Rockford, Mich., —Mr. A. H. Clark, a well known merchant of this place, furnishes the evidence lacking in most remedies, to prove that Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment cures piles. He says: "After suffering for over 20 years with itching piles and finding little relief in any known remedy, I found a perfect cure in one box of Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment. I would not take \$10 a box for it if I could not obtain more."

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## OSBAND NOT YET RECONCILED

Ann Arbor is greatly stirred up over the action of the council in refusing to confirm Mayor Copeland's appointment of A. J. Sawyer as city attorney, and the appointment by the president of the council of Mr. Stivers. The Judson spirit, to grab everything in sight, still survives the rebuke it got last fall. One dose seems not to have cured the disease and a second is evidently necessary, and the patient will meet it in increased bitterness when the time comes.—Ypsilantian.

Evidently Editor Osband is not yet reconciled. The majority of last fall's bolters, however, seem to have reached the conclusion that they would better eat Ross Judson than have no bread. Osband is at least consistent in this matter.

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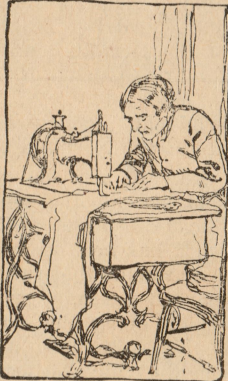
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## WOMEN IN THE COUNTRY.

How They May Earn Money From Live Stock and Gardening.

A friend writes me from a southern county in a state of the middle belt: "This township has decreased in population 200 in the last ten years. People are leaving the county by the hundreds this spring. There are hardly men enough left to work now, and what are left are no good. The women of the county sew and support themselves, and the land is going back to a wilderness of elm and locust grubs for the unfortunate owners to pay tax on."

It is a picture of desolation and sadness, the country woman sitting in her lonely home bending over a sewing machine, wearing out her eyes and her nerves to earn a pittance making garments for the city department store, while all the land about her that ought to blossom and yield as a fruitful vine is growing up in briars and thistles. I EARNING A PITTANCE.



was brought up on a farm, and it makes my heart ache. Only a little more than 40 per cent of the population of the country is engaged in agriculture, and the proportion is growing less and less each decade. At the same time the population in general—the population of eaters, that is—is increasing by great bounds. There will be for a century to come a constantly increasing demand for those food products the farmer raises. If men in the country will no longer work the farms, let the women they have left behind take up the industry and make it pay. They can do it, because so many women have done it already.

Professor Ely has said somewhere that nobody in this country knows how to farm. Agriculturists merely "exploit the virgin qualities of the soil." It is true. If the women in the lonely homes deserted of men roused themselves and used their brains and energy exactly where they are, the wilderness of elm and locust scrub growths would shortly become beautiful to the eye and yield them an excellent living besides. Again, I know this is true, for I have seen the statement proved time and again. The vastest unexplored and undeveloped region in this universe is the human will and mind tract.

I know a woman who makes a success of sheep farming on hillside land that long since gave up trying to compete with the west in grain farming. She is well to do and envied of her neighbors, who are going half blind over the department store sewing. I know of another woman who fell heir to a seemingly wornout farm with a ruined old house upon it. She went into dairy farming, thought and hustled and made those about her do the same. She is now a comparatively wealthy woman and owns a herd of Guernseys famous throughout the Union. Yet another woman owns and takes care of the largest apple orchard in South Dakota. Fourth in this list, which might be extended from Jerusalem to Jericho, is the woman with the largest poultry farm in Missouri, her hens yielding 35 dozen eggs a day.

Heavy and extensive farming has passed forever to the west. The deserted lands where the women are left must be made to pay by means of intensive farming, and this is possible everywhere.



HENS.

The farms are specially adapted to woman's enterprise in the field of gardening, flower and fruit raising, the poultry and sheep business and dairying. The American people do not consume so much pork as they did, but are becoming more and more a mutton, egg and poultry and fruit eating nation, to their gain in health and beauty. The poultry industry is already passing into the hands of women.

A woman stranded on a farm and determining to make it pay should consider these things: What products is her land best adapted to, what articles do the markets in her vicinity demand, what are the means of transportation to the markets? These questions answered, she may safely begin, confident, yet cautious. In general she should diversify her industries. Fruit and honey production and poultry raising thrive well together. So do the poultry business and dairying. Thousands of women in the country add to their incomes by having summer boarders, and the number of these is ever increasing.

Finally, here is a hint to the wise: I know a lady who obtains from private customers a fancy price for eggs all the year round, simply by letting people visit her chicken houses and see how clean and attractive looking they are. Have all your products choice, dainty and clean or you will not succeed. MISS WIDEAWAKE.

A candle may be made to fit into any candlestick if it be dipped into very hot water. This will so soften the wax that it may be easily pushed into a candlestick which would otherwise be too small for it, and it will be neatly and firmly fixed there.

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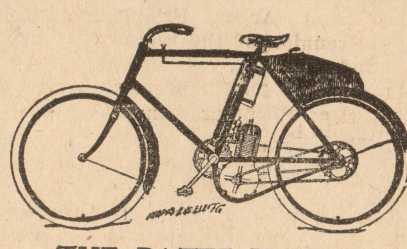
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ARE AFTER OIL FORTUNES

J. F. WEBB AND ED. SHUTTS ARE PROSPECTING

And They Think That Mooreville is a Territory That is Rich in the Product

J. F. Webb and Ed Shutts are promoting a scheme for the opening of oil wells in the vicinity of Mooreville. There are strong indications of oil in that neighborhood in paying quantities. It is understood that samples taken from certain points on the river have been carefully examined and it is thought and proven to be a good quality of oil and much confidence is felt that it can be found in profitable quantities. The outlook is so favorable that work is being done in securing contracts for land on which it is proposed to put down wells. A company has already been formed at Milan and considerable stock sold and boring is soon to begin. Fortunes have been made by venturing something on prospects far less promising, it is said.

ALL EYES ON TEXAS.

Great is Texas. Her vast cotton crops and marvellous oil discoveries amaze the world. Now follows the startling statement of the wonderful work at Cisco, Tex., of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. "My wife contracted a severe lung trouble," writes Editor J. J. Rager, "which caused a most obstinate cough and finally resulted in profuse hemorrhages, but she has been completely cured by Dr. King's New Discovery." It's positively guaranteed for Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung troubles. 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free at C. W. Rogers & Co.'s and Morford & Smith, druggists.

NORMALS BEAT THE HIGH SCHOOLS

A seven-inning practice game of baseball, was played by the Normals and the high school lads on the campus Thursday afternoon, the score being 8 to 7 in favor of the pedagogues.

Gannon and Dennis were on the absent list, and their places were taken by Beach and Patch, who made a good showing.

The Normalites chalked down five tallies in the first inning, but did not score again until the fifth and seventh, when they ran in two and one respectively.

The high school men played an even game, better in proportion to their status, as a team than the teachers.

RESOLUTIONS

Whereas it has pleased the Supreme Ruler of the Universe to remove Sister Miles from our midst, be it therefore

Resolved, that Ypsilanti Hive, No. 621 L. O. T. M., extend to the bereaved family of our departed sister our heartfelt sympathy in this their hour of bereavement and be it further

Resolved, that our charter be draped for thirty days and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family, and that they be spread upon our records.

NELLY TRIM, LEO YEDELY, MARY L. SCOTNEY.

OLD SOLDIER'S EXPERIENCE

M. M. Austin, a civil war veteran, of Winchester, Ind., writes: "My wife was sick a long time in spite of good doctor's treatment, but was wholly cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills, which worked wonders for her health." They always do. Try them. Only 25c at C. W. Rogers & Co.'s and Morford & Smith's drug stores.

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NOVEL BRIDAL TOUR

Thousands Of Miles Across the Ocean In An Open Boat

There are few girls who would care to spend their honeymoon tossing on the waves of the mighty Atlantic in a diminutive open boat less than 15 feet in length. Yet that is how Albena Carpenter of Atlantic City and her husband will spend their first month of wedded life.

Captain Andrews, the prospective husband, has already gained fame as a navigator in small boats. Alone he has crossed the ocean several times in precisely the manner indicated for this odd honeymoon trip. This time there



ON BOARD THE DARK SECRET.

will be two in the boat. Though in law man and wife are one, in a boat they count as two.

The boat is ready. Captain Andrews has crossed in it before. The name by which it is known is the Dark Secret. Whether the name will be retained for the present trip has not been decided.

Miss Carpenter of course will be the heroine of the trip. She will be Mrs. Andrews when the trip is made, but her heroism will be none the less apparent. It takes nerve to remain thirty odd days, more or less, with the probability of its being more, in a little boat on the great heaving, billowy ocean even if you have your newly made husband with you. When you bear in mind that the cockpit of the boat in which all that time must be spent is about six feet long and two feet deep, you will discover how little room there is for seasickness.

Miss Carpenter was born in Nashua, N. H., only about 20 years ago. She is pretty and plucky, and her forthcoming marriage to Captain Andrews is to be one of love. The captain is old enough to be her father, but love does not notice little things like years, and Miss Carpenter says positively that she will make the trip. Those who know her determined spirit are convinced that she will enjoy it.

There is just now rather a fever in the open boat sea crossing line, for one Captain Blackburn of Gloucester, Mass., has issued a challenge to all and sundry to sail against him. His boat is 25 feet long, while the Dark Secret is but half that length. In fact, Captain Andrews and his bride to be look upon anything 25 feet long as too great, clumsy and unwieldy to cross the ocean in comfort and as being the probable receptacle of various life saving devices and other unsportsmanlike litter.

Of life saving or other mere luxuries Captain Andrews and his companion will have none. In fact, there is no room aboard the little craft for anything like them. All they can carry are themselves and what food they will probably require in their long drift over the thousands of miles of watery expanse that lie between Atlantic City and Lisbon, in old Portugal. There will be much drifting on the way across, for the currents of old Atlantic are notoriously determined and must needs be reckoned with.

In fact, the currents will be their main dependence. For instance, they will drift down the eastern coast of the United States and then by way of the gulf stream across to the Azores, or Western islands, from whence they will make their way to Portugal, the nearest portion of the mainland of Europe. Their route, therefore, will be almost tropical, the locality of flying fishes and the nautilus, the locality of the Southern Cross and the hurricane.

There will be hard times on board the Dark Secret if a hurricane strikes it. For even on a honeymoon there must be a little chance for relaxation. In a 12 foot boat, containing two people, their supplies of provisions and water, there is not very much room for hurricanes. So, as they will not be welcome, it may be presumed they will not come.

But even if no hurricanes should come there is much that remains to be wondered at in such a voyage. There is only a small lateen sail to give the boat impetus, and of course it will be available only when the wind is at most fair, for at other times it will have no purchase to gain against the wind. Even the most fortunate voyagers of old could scarcely lay claim to fair winds all the time, so what will be done?

Well, if the wind should grow to be

too contrary, the sail may be furled and the little craft allowed to drift. It can't lose very much, for the current off the south coast sets easterly for the Azores and then sweeps in broad, fanlike shape around them.

It will thus be clear that aside from its romantic nature as a honeymoon trip the voyage contemplated by Miss Carpenter and Captain Andrews takes on a fresh tinge of excitement by reason of its uncertainty. There is to be no forcing their way through the foaming combs of a dead sea, no sailing on the wind, but a sublime dependence upon the currents and the eternal steadfastness of Providence, combined with an expectancy on the subject of their ability to indefinitely undergo each other's sole society. People who have long been married may be skeptical on this latter head, but those who are about to be married will not.

Captain Andrews, who will be the navigator of the Dark Secret, has the advantage of having crossed the Atlantic before in craft as frail as the one in which he is now about to embark as well as in that very craft itself—with this qualification, that in times past he has always sailed alone. Whether the presence of a companion will prove another advantage from the nautical standpoint or a handicap remains to be seen. Of supplies there will of course need to be more. It would be ungallant to say twice as many or twice as great a quantity, for that would signify that the lady would eat as much as a man, a proposition that theoretically at least is not tenable.

Captain Andrews made his quickest trip across the Atlantic in 1898 in his boat the Phantom Ship. This boat, too, was only 12 feet in length, and he declares her record of 34 days will be beaten on the present voyage. On that occasion a woman had volunteered to accompany him, but at the time for departure she yielded to the entreaties of her relatives and friends and declined. Miss Carpenter is not expected to weaken at any time, as her intended marriage would seem to guarantee.

The challenge of Captain Blackburn of Gloucester, noted above, carries with it the possession of a silver cup and a purse, which Captain Andrews and his expected bride will claim when they get to the other side if they win.

CHINESE HERO OF RIO DE JANEIRO

Peril Brought Out the Latent Humanity In the Oriental's Breast.

The Chinese, like all orientals, are usually fatalists, and rarely even among themselves will they succor a fellow human being who is in peril of his life, believing that it is the will of Almighty with which they must not interfere. But among the tales of heroism gathered from survivors of the Pacific Mail steamship Rio de Janeiro, recently wrecked at the Golden Gate, there is one, repeated everywhere, to prove how love of humanity can in a moment of peril overcome racial prejudice that has existed for centuries.

It is the story told by Pilot Jordan of his own rescue by a Chinaman floating on the top of the Rio's deckhouse.

Pilot Jordan was about to climb down the ladder into a lifeboat when Mrs. Wildman, wife of the consul general, appeared at the side of the rail, with her boy, 7 years old, at her side. He took the child in his arms and ordered the mother to precede him down the ladder.

The consul general followed Pilot Jordan. In this order they were half way down the ladder when the boat below was smashed by a broken spar.

Mrs. Wildman was shrieking for help, her husband was shouting to her to keep tight hold of the ladder, and the little boy was hugging the pilot



REACHED A HELPING HAND.

tightly around the neck when the Rio swayed over and went down, carrying all with her.

"As we sank," said Jordan, "the child loosened his hold on my neck, and we separated.

"The suction must have carried me down 50 feet, and when I finally came to the surface I was almost exhausted, but I grabbed a piece of wreckage, and from that I got to another and larger piece. As I was drifting along I encountered the top of the deckhouse, on which was a Chinese, who leaned over and grasped me firmly and pulled me up beside him."

HOMEMADE DRESSES.

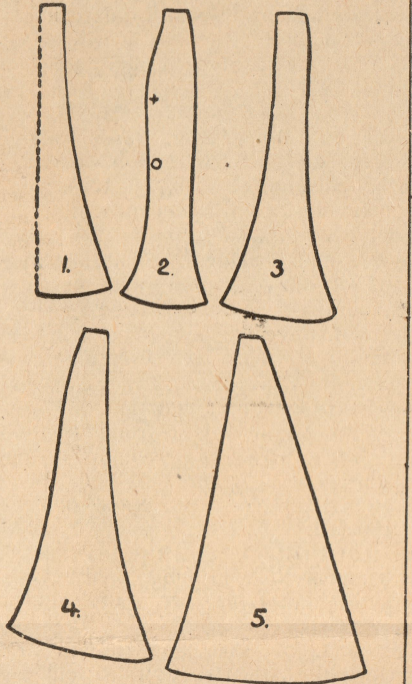
USEFUL SUGGESTIONS REGARDING THE MAKING OF SKIRTS.

Designs For Five Different Styles and How They Should Be Cut—Circular, Gore and Flare Skirts—The Completed Garment.

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There are three distinct styles of skirts for this season and several others which are based upon these three models, but made different by some change of trimming or other minor arrangement. The first is the circular; the second is the plain seven gore, which has been the standard for so many years that it is scarcely necessary to speak of it more than to say that it forms the basis of some of the prettiest of the season's gowns. It is particularly well adapted to any suit where flounces or other full trimming is to be added. And flounces are to be very popular on thin dresses. The seven gore skirt is the best model where economy in material is concerned, when the material is such that there is no up or down. In that case it can be cut in what the manufacturers call "close lay." This means that the breadths are cut by laying the pattern on the stuff, up and down and any way so that there is no waste.

The third is a skirt which has after a long effort at last gained favor. This is the seven gore flare skirt. Some call it sheath. It fits the wearer closely at the top and flares widely at the bottom. This skirt can hardly be called an economical one, as the flare at the bottom takes up much cloth, even when there is no nap. To cut this skirt it is well to lay the cloth doubled on a long table and try to get two double parts out of each width of cloth. Beginning with Fig. 1, the first piece is cut from the straight double and is 10 inches



across the top and 22 at the bottom, the flare not being quite so marked as in the other breadths. No. 2 is to be cut double, as there are two of all the breadths except the front and back. The top of this breadth is 5 inches, and at the place where the X is it measures 7 inches and dwindles to 6 inches at the place marked O. The flare then brings it to 15 inches at the bottom. No. 3 is 7 inches at the top and slopes gradually out to the bottom, where it measures 20 inches. There are two of these. No. 4 is 6 inches at the top and 24 at the bottom, with an almost imperceptible flare at the front side, about half way down. No. 5 is cut on the fold of the cloth at the back, with the bias part to be sewed to the bias of No. 4. The back breadth is 14 inches at the top and 30 at the bottom. This makes 56 inches around the top. Probably no woman measures so much around the waist, nor is it expected that this is to be the exact size, for when the lining is basted to the outside—if it is a skirt requiring lining—the breadths are basted together and put on the owner, wrong side out, and then the skirt is fitted like a waist, for it is intended that this skirt shall fit the figure closely, all except right in the center of the back, where there may be gathers or a double fold. The front breadth is allowed in the diagram wider at the top in comparison than the others for the reason that no two women are shaped exactly alike across the stomach, and this is to allow a fit to all shapes. The seams are to be taken in with pins.

When the skirt has been fitted to the figure, it should be rebasted and tried on again, this time right side out, and any small imperfections rectified, after

which the seams may be stitched, but there must be tapes stitched in with every seam because the bias seams would drag out of shape in no time if this were not done.

It is optional whether the seams shall be pressed flat or are stitched down on each side. Each way has its devotees. The completed skirt shows how this skirt may be finished off in grass linen for summer and also any other material. Tailor suits need no trimming, but flounces will be seen on all the light stuffs.

OLIVE HARPER.

PROMPTLY ANSWERED.

The Groceryman Gave Advice In a Few Words.

"Do you think," said the old man as he halted at the corner grocery and toyed with a basket of clothespin, "that any person in this town has m. happiness at heart?"

"No, sir," promptly replied the grocer.

"Do you think that a cock eyed man who never saw me till yesterday could be unselfishly interested in my future?"

"Not by a jugful."

"In offering to introduce me to a widow and try to bring about a marriage he would probably be guided by sordid motives, you think?"

"Certainly I do."

"Having secured my \$25, he wouldn't care whether my future years were full of bliss or wretchedness, would he?"

"Not by a darned sight."

"Grocer, I thank you!" feelingly exclaimed the old man as he turned from the clothespins to cranberries and let a handful dribble through his fingers. "While I am a stranger to you, you seem to have my welfare at heart."

"Yes, I have. I'd like to sell you a box of wagon grease for a quarter."

"But what use could I make of it?"

"Use it to soak your head in!"

M. QUAD.

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"What is?"

"You know, he lives five or six miles out. Well, he's too stingy to buy gloves to keep his hands warm, so when he goes home in a street car on a cold evening he buys a bag of hot peanuts and puts it in his coat pocket, shifting it from one pocket to the other and back again, so as to warm his hands alternately."

"Yes, but that looks like wasting a good deal of money on peanuts."

"Wasting it! I guess you don't know Pner. He eats the peanuts next morning for breakfast."

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# TWO TEACHERS FOR PHILIPPINES

GEORGE GANNON AND ALBERT GOODALE  
HAVE BEEN SELECTED.

WILL LEAVE SOON

Are Both Young Men and Have Done Good  
Work in Their Studies.

To the state Normal college will belong the honor of sending to the Philippines the first teachers from Michigan, as George Gannon and Howell and Albert O. Goodale of Petoskey, two of the most promising young men of the senior class, yesterday mailed to Washington the letters of acceptance which will result in their sailing from San Francisco in about a month for the land of Aguinaldo with U. S. commissions in their pockets.

President Leonard of the Michigan Normal recently received a letter from F. W. Atkinson, general superintendent of education, stating that two men from the graduating class of the Ypsilanti institution would be given commissions as teachers in the Philippines, and after careful consideration the offer was held out to Gannon and Goodale.

The commissions will be sent from Washington on receipt of the two letters of acceptance, and as soon as possible after graduation, which occurs the latter part of June, the young men will proceed to San Francisco, whence they will take a government transport to their final destination.

Their transportation will be paid direct from Ypsilanti to the Philippines; they will be given a salary of at least \$900 per year, and perhaps more; and if they continue in the work for three years they will be allowed transportation back to their homes. There will be a charge of \$1 per day "subsistence pay" for the time required to make the trip to Manila, but on their arrival there, the total amount will be refunded.

Gannon and Goodale have both specialized in the Normal in the science department, so they expect that they will be given work along these lines, in which case their pay will be between \$1,200 and \$1,500 per year, the compensation for grade teachers being \$900.

George Gannon has been in college four years, and has long been known as one of the strongest students and most popular young men. He possesses a strong athletic frame and robust constitution, and excels in sport, baseball being his favorite outdoor diversion. He has played second base on the college team for the four years he has been in Ypsilanti and this season alternates with Sherman as pitcher. He is a young man of ready resources and quick wit, and in ball playing is noted for doing his most brilliant work in a crisis. He is a member of the Arm of Honor fraternity, was president of his sophomore and junior classes, is this year manager of the Normal News.

Albert O. Goodale graduated from the Petoskey high school in 1897, and after spending two years teaching school, writing insurance and working in a bank, he entered the Normal. He stands high in his classes and is prominently identified with all student enterprises, being at present president of the Athletic association, president of the Olympic Literary society, secretary of the Oratorical association, treasurer of the Mock Congress Debating society, and one of the foremost workers in the Young Men's Christian Association. He is no less an athlete than Gannon, having played center on the football team for the entire time he has been in college.

The two young men are among the brightest and best of the class, and apparently are excellently equipped for their new work.

## LITERARY AND STUDY CLUB ENTERTAINED

The ladies of the musical section of the Literary and Study clubs and their friends, to the number of 60, enjoyed a pleasant afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. A. Watling yesterday, "The Growth of American Music" forming the theme of the enjoyable musical and literary program presented.

Gottschalk, MacDowell, Dudley Buck and Elizabeth Nevill were taken as types of America's musicians, and were studied through the rendition of their best compositions and through a brief sketch of their lives, this portion of the program being given by Mesdames Pease, Watling, Hawk, Riley, Worden, Hewitt, Yerkes and Gilbert.

Mrs. Watling gave Longfellow's dramatic poem, "Robert of Sicily;" Mr. Riley whistled "The Mocking Bird," and Mrs. Charles Wright of Detroit sang the aria, "Una voce poco fa," from "The Barber of Seville."

The meeting was closed with the singing of the national hymn of Holland by the entire company.

For the next 30 days you can buy a sewing machine cheap, \$20 and upwards. White Sewing Machine Co., 20 North Washington street, upstairs. Phone 380.

## COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Ypsilanti, Mich., May 20, 1901.  
Regular meeting of the common council, held Monday evening of the above date. Mayor Thompson in the chair. Roll call: Present, full council. Minutes of last regular meeting approved as printed.

### PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

The mayor appointed Jacob L. Forrester as commissioner of public works for two years to fill vacancy caused by the death of Commissioner M. B. Schaffer.

Also announced the following changes in his standing committees: Ways and Means—Ald. Gaudy, Stevens and Moore.

The committee on Streets and Walks to read—Ald. Worden, Van Fossen, Berg.

Salaries—Ald. Brown, Van Fossen and Ostrander.

Library—Van Fossen, Boyce, Stevens, Worden and Moore.

Ypsilanti, May 20, 1901.  
To the Gentlemen of the Common Council and Officials:

Tomorrow at 2:30 p. m. the mortal remains of Edwin F. Uhl, in honor of whose memory the flags of Berlin are today at half mast, and whose death is deplored by the great of our nation, will be laid to rest in Highland cemetery, in this his native place. The high position attained by the deceased in our state and nation, his conduct in his high office as Ambassador at the court of Germany, has reflected glory to our city. In testimony of the great respect we have for the man and the pride we feel in his achievements, I have requested the business places of the city to close their doors from two to three thirty tomorrow p. m., and the citizens in general, with yourselves, to be present and with the numerous citizens of Grand Rapids, Detroit, Ann Arbor and other places, show the respect for and sorrow felt for the death of Ypsilanti's most eminent son.

Respectfully yours,  
O. E. THOMPSON,  
Mayor.

On motion accepted and filed.

Ypsilanti, Mich., May 3, 1901.

To the Common Council of the City of Ypsilanti:

Gentlemen—The undersigned, who carry on the business of teaming in said city, respectfully petition your honorable body to establish our pay when working for the city at the rate of \$3.50 per day.

We formerly used a foot box on our wagons and received pay at the rate of \$3.00 per day, but now that we have increased our boxes to 16 inches we feel as though our pay should be increased.

L. E. ASHLEY.  
GEO. H. OLDS.  
CHAS. BEADLE.  
AARON FINCH.  
DAN GATES.  
J. E. ENGEL.  
WALTER CANNON.  
JOHN CAPLIN.  
H. BROOKS.  
GEORGE J. BROWN.  
CHAS. D. PECK.  
DWIGHT PECK.

On motion referred to committee on salaries.

Ypsilanti, May 20, 1901.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Ypsilanti:

Your Commissioners of Public Works would respectfully call your attention to the following facts in reference to our street lighting system: A number of additional street lights have been petitioned for by large taxpayers. Because of our dynamo being now fully taxed such petitions have not been granted, but with the purchase of another 60-light dynamo we could install 20 more lights with no additional cost for maintenance except for carbon and globes.

Commissioners of Public Works.  
J. E. McGREGOR, Clerk.

On motion of Ald. Moore, matter referred to Commissioners of Public Works to report on probable cost of such extensions, at the next meeting of this council.

Ypsilanti, March 25, 1901.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Ypsilanti:

Gentlemen—The undersigned respectfully petition your honorable body to cause to be extended the city water main from First avenue west to Second avenue, thence south to Joseph Preston's, and we each agree to deposit with the city clerk the advance deposit required for water taxes.

CHARLES SIMPSON.  
GEO. KERBY.  
W. N. WATSON.  
ELI NEWTON.  
JACK BOORK.  
SAMUEL ARMSTRONG.  
LEE DAVIS.  
CHARLES MOORE.  
JOHN BROWN.  
JOHN H. PERRY.

On motion referred to board of public works to report at next meeting.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Ypsilanti:

You are cordially invited to attend the Memorial Day services to be held Thursday, May 30, at the Methodist church, at 2 o'clock p. m. sharp.

Carpenter Post, 180, G. A. R. Motion that the invitation be accepted and this council attend in a body. Carried.

Office of Board of Police Commissioners

To the Common Council:

Gentlemen—We respectfully recommend the appointment of Mr. Preston W. Ross to be constable in the first judicial district, vice James B. Arms,

resigned.

Very respectfully,  
EDWARD P. ALLEN,  
D. L. QUIRK, JR.,  
Board of Police Commissioners.

Resolution by Ald. Stevens:

Resolved, That whereas J. B. Arms, constable elect for the first judicial district, having resigned and this council accepted such resignation, be it resolved that Preston W. Ross, not having received the next largest number of votes at the recent charter election, and said Ross being recommended by the police commission as a fit and proper person to fill the vacancy, be and he is hereby appointed by this council as constable of the first judicial district for the term ending the first Monday in May, 1902.

Carried.

Roll call: Ayes—10. Nays—0.

Ypsilanti, Mich., May 8, 1901.

To the Honorable Mayor and Members of the Common Council of the City of Ypsilanti:

Gentlemen—We, the undersigned, resident taxpayers and property owners along the line of College Place, petition your honorable body to cause a plank walk to be built on the east side of said street in front of lot owned by Messrs. Trim & McGregor, between property owned by Mr. Lull and Mrs. Wartz, within thirty days from this date.

Respectfully submitted,  
B. F. LULL.  
S. C. FISHER.  
MRS. L. WARTZ.  
H. A. GILMORE.

On motion referred to committee on streets and walks to report at next meeting.

Ypsilanti, Mich., May 20, 1901.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Ypsilanti, Mich.:

Gentlemen—A resolution was passed by your honorable body some time ago instructing this board to extend the water main to the first ward school. The board have now in hand sufficient 6-inch cast iron pipe to extend the system from Michigan street to Harriet street on Adams street. The estimated cost of such extension, including three fire hydrants, is \$580.75. We recommend such extension as furnishing fire protection and benefits of the water system to a considerable and important part of our city now without these advantages.

By Ald. Boyce:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of Public Works be and they are hereby instructed to extend the water system on Adams street from Michigan to Harriet streets as recommended by themselves.

Roll call: Ayes—10. Nays—0.

Carried.

LIQUOR DEALERS' BONDS.

Thomas Neat principal, with Adam Chance and George N. Cady sureties in \$3,000.00.

The L. Z. Forrester Brewing Co. principal, with Henry R. Scovill and Jabez B. Worster sureties in \$3,000.00.

On motion bonds accepted and approved.

OFFICERS' BONDS.

W. E. McLeod, city clerk, principal, with Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland as sureties in \$5,000.00.

Thos. Ryan, principal, with John B. Colvan and G. R. Johnson sureties in \$500.00.

Harvey E. Ferguson, principal, with E. R. Beal and Fred W. Green sureties in \$500.00.

Cassius M. Warner, principal, with Harlow D. Wells and A. A. Graves sureties in \$1,000.00.

Fredric L. Gallop, treasurer, principal, with D. L. Quick and Charles E. King sureties in \$15,000.00.

On motion bonds accepted and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Ypsilanti, Mich., May 20, 1901.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Ypsilanti:

Gentlemen—Your committee on streets and walks, to whom was referred the petition of C. W. Mansfield and others for street closing in connection with Ypsilanti town, beg leave to report that they have had the matter under consideration and would respectfully recommend that the prayer of petitioners be granted, and the city attorney be and he is hereby instructed to take the necessary legal steps in connection with the township to close the street in question.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

F. P. WORDEN,  
J. C. BURG,  
JNO. VAN FOSSEN.

Committee on Streets and Walks.

On motion report was accepted and adopted.

Ypsilanti, Mich., May 20, 1901.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Ypsilanti:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Bridges beg leave to report having made a partial examination of the city bridges, and as the result of said examination would respectfully recommend: First—That an expert engineer be employed to inspect the several bridges with a view of determining what may be necessary in the way of permanent repairs and what bridges, if any, should be replaced with new structures.

Second—We find the Cross street bridge to have settled several inches, and is in need of extensive repairs. The abutments should be thoroughly pointed in order to preserve their stability, as this matter seems to have been neglected for some time, and we believe it is dangerous to allow the property to remain longer in this condition.

Third—We concur with the recommendation of the mayor that a new single arch concrete bridge be built over the mill race near the water works, and that your committee be authorized

to procure plans and estimates for such bridge and report to this Council as soon as possible.

C. L. STEVENS,  
J. C. BERG,  
E. L. BROWN,  
Committee on Bridges.

On motion report be accepted and adopted.

CLAIMS AND ACCOUNTS.

Contingent Fund—

Frank Joslyn	\$ 16 30
Pay roll	28 35
O. E. Thompson & Sons	4 05
H. E. Ferguson	1 34
C. M. Warner	3 34
Thos. Ryan	2 67
J. E. McGregor	17 70
D. Riley	16 25
Ypsilanti	1 75
Nichols & Panek	50
H. T. LeFurge	1 00
Otto Rohn	3 70
T. S. Whitford	1 40
Davis & Keshlon	4 20
Thos. Ryan	8 00
McPherson & House	2 62
A. McPherson	12 00
John Thum	18 67
Harding & Schaefer	3 70
P. W. Ross	20 00
Ladies' Library Association	62 50
M. Cramer	21 71
C. L. Stevens	16 10
Geo. H. Jackson	3 00
Fidelity & Deposit Co.	15 00

Water Works Fund—

James Mulder	3 75
Scharf Tag, Label & Box Co.	13 15
O. E. Thompson & Sons	3 00
P. C. Sherwood	5 00
J. G. Wing & Co.	19 20
Pay roll	386 95
L. B. Ashley	3 45
Slater & Poston	6 70
J. E. McGregor	27 00
L. Z. Forrester Brewing Co.	38 48
McPherson & Smith	3 88
M. C. R. R. Co.	22 38
Ypsl. Gas Co.	2 10
A. Thayer	25 00
A. S. Turnbull	40 00
W. F. Blanchard	25 00
J. E. Engel	85
Harding & Shaefer	60
Wm. H. McDermott	5 15
H. Mueller Mfg. Co.	18 01

Park Fund—

Geo. Richardson	5 00
O. E. Thompson & Sons	2 75
Pay roll	8 75

Street Light Fund—

James Crane	15 00
D. H. Curtis	27 50
B. F. Hodges	24 00
McPherson & Smith	30
Electric Supply & Engineering Co.	6 25
Harding & Shaefer	65
Wm. H. McDermott	70
Ypsl. Gas Co.	1 12
A. Harriman	1 00
G. Stuart	20 00
C. Roe	20 00
A. Horseman	20 00
F. Reimer	20 00
F. Babcock	20 00
E. Ryan	25 00
Chas. Begole	7 50

First Dis. Highway Fund—

Pay roll	4 20
H. E. Dickinson	1 20

Second Dis. Highway Fund—

Pay roll	1 20
H. E. Dickinson	1 50

Harding & Shaefer

Third Dis. Highway Fund—

Pay roll	188 08
O. E. Thompson & Son	22 86
H. E. Dickinson	1 10

Fourth Dis. Highway Fund—

Pay roll	1 50
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Fifth Dis. Highway Fund—

Pay roll	3 00
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Motion that orders be drawn on the various funds to pay the several bills.

Roll called. Ayes, 10; nays, 0.—Carried.

By Ald. Stevens:

Resolved, that the City of Ypsilanti construct a sanitary sewer in Hamilton street in the first sewer district of said city, beginning at the manhole at intersection of Ellis street and running thence south to the manhole at the intersection of Pearl street, in accordance with the plat and diagram now on file at the office of the City Clerk, at the location and grade, and of the dimensions mentioned in said plat and diagram; and the City Clerk is hereby instructed to cause notice to be published two weeks in the Ypsilantian of the intention to construct said sewer, and that the Common Council will meet on Monday, June 3, 1901, at 8 o'clock p. m., to hear any suggestions or objections that may be made concerning said sewer; and the City Clerk is also hereby ordered to record said plat and diagram in his office.

By Ald. Stevens:

Resolved, that the City of Ypsilanti construct a sanitary sewer in Hamilton street in the first sewer district of said city, beginning at the manhole at the intersection of Cross street and running thence south to the north line of Mrs. Denton's property, in accordance with the plat and diagram now on file at the office of the City Clerk, at the location and grade, and of the dimensions mentioned in said plat and diagram; and the City Clerk is hereby instructed to cause notice to be published two weeks in the Ypsilantian of the intention to construct said sewer, and that the Common Council will meet on Monday, June 3, 1901, at 8 o'clock p. m., to hear any suggestions or objections that may be made concerning said sewer; and the City Clerk is also hereby ordered to record said plat and diagram in his office.

By Ald. Colby:

Resolved, that the Street Commissioner be and he is hereby instructed to see that section 9 of ordinance No. 36 relative to back-filling ditches and all other excavations in the streets and alleys of the city of Ypsilanti, is strictly enforced.—Carried.

By Ald. Gaudy:

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be and he is here-

by instructed to take a careful inventory of all city property such as wagons, scrapers, plows, rammers, shovels, picks, etc., now in his possession, and the condition of the same, and report at the next meeting of this Council.—Carried.

By Ald. Gaudy:

Resolved, that the Mayor and City Attorney be and they are hereby requested to examine all bonds of city officials and report to this Council at its next meeting.—Carried.

By Ald. Boyce:

Resolved, that all parties who have plowed the alleys and street margins of the city be given by the City Marshal ten days in which to restore the same to the condition before such plowing, and in the event of refusal or neglect on their part to do, the city attorney be and is hereby instructed to commence prosecution under the ordinance, and the Marshal is hereby instructed to at once notify the parties of this action.—Carried.

By Ald. Stevens:

Resolved, that the Committee on Streets and Walks be and they are hereby instructed to purchase a horse, harness and cart to be used in removing the dirt cleaned from the paved district, and to be used by the Fire Department in connection with the sweeping of the pavements, said horse and rig to be boarded and cared for by the Fire Department in their building.

On motion, referred to Committee on Streets and Walks, to report at next meeting.

By Ald. Van Fossen:

Resolved, that the Commissioners of Public Works be and they are hereby instructed to prepare plans and estimates for storm sewers or surface drains of adequate dimensions running from Adams street on Congress streets west to Ballard street, on Cross street, from Huron street to the west line of Normal street, on Huron street south to Catherine, on Woodward street from Huron to Washington, on Washington from Woodward to Michigan.—Carried.

By Ald. Fossen:

Resolved, that the Mayor be and he is hereby requested to appoint a committee of five, consisting of five citizens, one from each ward, whose duty will be to see the state law for prevention of cruelty to animals rigidly enforced in the various wards.—Carried.

By Ald. Van Fossen:

Resolved, that the Mayor be and he is hereby requested to appoint a committee of five aldermen, one from each ward, who, together with himself and the City Attorney, will take the necessary initiative steps towards establishing a river park on Huron river, between Congress and Cross streets, and report to the next meeting of this Council.—Carried.

By Ald. Van Fossen:

Resolved, that the Committee on Streets and Walks be and they are hereby instructed to remove or cause to be removed within thirty days from the streets and alleys of the city, all weigh scales, and be it further resolved that the said committee be and they are hereby instructed to procure a suitable location on the east side and purchase and place thereon suitable weigh scales, same to be known as city weigh scales.—Carried.

An ordinance to protect sidewalks in the city of Ypsilanti was introduced by Ald. Van Fossen and referred to the Committee on Ordinances to report at next meeting.

An ordinance relative to digging ditches in the streets of Ypsilanti was introduced by Ald. Van Fossen and referred to the Committee on Ordinances to report at next meeting.

An ordinance to encourage the building of cement sidewalks, by providing that the city of Ypsilanti shall pay one-third of the cost of the same, was read, and on motion referred to the Committee on Ordinances to report at a special meeting to be called by the Mayor.

By Ald. Gaudy:

That this Council adopt the rules now in force for the government of the Council this year, and the Committee on Printing have a number of copies printed for use of the members.—Carried.

By Ald. Stevens:

That the appointment of J. L. Forrester to Commissioner of Public Works be and is hereby confirmed.

On motion Council adjourned.

J. E. MCGREGOR, City Clerk.

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